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MEXIA TO UNITE TO WIN ATTENDANCE TROPHY

Legion And Auxiliary Hold San Jacinto Program

Editors Hear Coolidge On Administration Issues

Scott Reed To Speak At The Joint Meet Tonight

The Nowlin Post of the American Legion and the Ladies Auxiliary will meet at the Legion Hall tonight at 7:30, at which time the ladies will serve a dinner to the membership and guests adn a San Jacinto program will be given.

Comrade Harry A. Porter will have charge of the entertainment and has been devoting considerable attention to the evening, hopeful of having a banner attendance.

Every member has been given a personal and urgent invitation to be present.

Comrade Scott Reed, County Attorney of Limestone County, will deliver the San Jacinto Day address. Mrs. W. B. Landrum will present several reading and other features will make the occasion one of profit, according to Post Commander Owen F. Watkins, who joins in extending the urgent call to Legionnaires to be present. The ladies have gone to an unusual amount of trouble in preparation for the event.

A large crowd is naturally expected.

Hoagland to Promote Foreign Trade.

Warren L. Hoagland, of Detroit, has been appointed by Secretary of Commerce Hoover to be Chief of the Specialties Division. He will interest himself in foreign trade promotion.

MOUND CITY, Kas., April 22.—John C. Scott went on trial here today for the second time on charges of murdering his wife, Eleanor Scott. Love of Arlene Scott, pretty 19-year-old niece of his wife, was the motive for the slaying, authorities contend. Charges of murder against Arlene were dismissed before she was brought to trial. In the first trial the jury disagreed after voting 8 to 4 for conviction.

Mexia Cotton Mills Stockholders Meet Thursday Morning

A meeting of the stockholders of the Mexia Cotton Mills has been called to meet in the room in the Hurdleston Hotel Building formerly occupied by the Worth Drug Store at 10 a. m. Thursday, April 24. The call for this meeting is being issued by temporary Secretary, Ben F. Stollenwerck, on instructions from J. K. Hughes, chairman of the stockholders committee.

The call explains that the meeting is for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization, for the election of a Board of Directors and such other business as may properly come before this meeting.

All stockholders are requested to furnish proxies in writing to any one they wish to have represent them as 51 per cent of the stock represented will be a quorum and the business will be dispatched and this article together with a letter being mailed to each subscriber is regarded as a legal notice of this meeting.

In speaking of the matter Secretary Stollenwerck said that nearly all of the subscribers have paid their first 10 per cent installment but those who have not done so are urged to do so before this meeting if possible, and if not, checks will be accepted at the meeting, and every subscriber is urged to be present whether they have paid their first 10 per cent or not.

It is naturally supposed, however, that the first 10 per cent of stock must be paid before a subscriber can vote in any of the proceedings.

GROCERS TO CLOSE AT 7 P. M. AFTER APRIL TWENTY-EIGHTH

Henry Felz reported this morning that the grocerymen of the city have signed an agreement to close at 7 p. m. every night except Saturday, beginning April 28. The agreement was circulated among the grocers down town and in the suburban districts, all of whom are reported as having signed up. The public's co-operation will be appreciated.

DENTON.—A. Coker pleaded guilty to driving an automobile while intoxicated. He was fined $100.

Business To Be At Standstill Wednesday Afternoon

Arrangements are completed for the closing up of practically the entire town on Wednesday, April 23rd for the opening of the Baseball season when Corsicana will be the opposing club.

O. Y. Manning, Retail Grocer on South Ross Avenue, phoned in to add his name to the list of names of those who will close and the National and Palace Theatres announce that they will also be closed and are going to the game, they are advertising this on their screen, and these names are to be added to the list published in Sunday's paper.

According to the agreement which was signed, the arrangement is that the stores are to close at 2:30 p. m. This enables them to have one hour to get ready to leave their respective places of business as well as to take care of any customers who may be in their stores at the time their doors are closed. So all who have signed up are herewith reminded that Wednesday, April 23rd, they are expected to close their places of business at 2:30 and remain closed until after the game, and one fan expressed it "Let's all go out and root in order to down our old antagonists from Corsicana."

British Fliers Now In Persia

BUSHIRE, Persia, April 22.—The British around-the-world plane, piloted by Major Stuart MacLaren, arrived here today and left immediately for Bander Abbas. With the arrival here the British fliers had covered a total of approximately 4000 miles.

DALLAS.—The first annual convention of the Retail Furniture Association of Texas, opens here Wednesday. They will remain in session two days.

S. M. U. President Offers Officers His Cooperation

DALLAS, Texas, April 22.—Dr. C. O. Selecman, priseident of Southwestern Methodist University, today offered federal investigators his cooperation in the grand jury in the probe of student bacchannal at Savage lake. "The University welcomes the grand jury investigation and has offered the federal authorities every assistance in bringing student ofrenders to justice," Dr. Selecman said. Dr. Selecman issued the statement as he came from the grand jury room where he had been suddenly summoned for questioning. Student leaders had previously appeared before federal investigators and revealed the names of bootleggers whosupplied the loquor for the lake orgy. President Selecman said an investigation by the faculty had been under way for two weeks, and intimated that several students would be dismissed.

W. D. FREEMAN UNDERGOES OPERATION AT DALLAS

Clay Freeman received word this afternoon that his brother, W. D. Freeman had just undergone an operation to remove his appendix and was resting nicely. He is in the Baptist Sanitarium at Dallas. Dr. T. F. Oates and Hugh Freeman, went on the early morning train to be present for the operation. The many friends of Mr. Freeman will be delighted to hear of his encouraging prospects for better health and are looking forward with pleasure to his return home.

CHICAGO, April 22.—Dorothy Dalton, movie actress, and Arthur Hammerstein, prominent New York theatrical man, were married here today.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Alcoholic insanity has increased more than 1000 per cent under prohibition, Dr. James Whitney Hall, chairman of the Chicago Lunacy Commission, declared before the House Judiciary Committee holding hearings on bills proposing the modification of the Volstead act. Dr. Hall presented figures to show the alarming increase in alcholiism during the past three years, and urged a modification of the enforcement act.

Woman Sea Diver Seeks Gold.

Miss Margaret Naylor, described as the first woman deep-sea diver, is in Tobermory, Scotland, to assist in the search for the millions of gold doubloons lost on the Spanish treasure ship Admiral of Florence, sunk off that port in 1588.

The President SaysAmerica Is Sound Today

NEW YORK, April 22.—President Coolidge came to New York today to address a gathering of editors on some of the most important issues confronting his administration.

The President's train arrived at 5:52 a. m,. but Mr. Coolidge and his party, in his private car, slept late, rising shortly before 8:00 a. m.

Breakfast for the President and Mrs. Coolidge was served at the Waldorf in a private dining room about 8:30.

He assailed the opponents of the Mellon plan, who, he said, were assuming the country wanted to evade the law of service and sought the benefits of government without paying for that government.

He said the dea that taxes on the great mass of the people could be cut and more taxes extracted from the rich was an unworkable principle.

He assured his hearers that fundamentally America is sound, its Government in honest hands and its business, "including the owners, managers and employes, representatives on honorable and patriotic motives."

High Lights in Speech

"Fundamentally, America is sound. It has both the power and disposition to maintain itself in a healthy economic and moral condition. But it cannot do this by making material prosperity its supreme choice. If America wishes to maintain its prosperity, it must maintain ts ideals."

"With a certain and definite settlement of German reparations firmly established, I would favor the calling of a similar conference (to the Washington conference) to achieve limitations of armaments, should prelminary inquiries disclose that such a proposal would meet with a sympathetic response."

"Our country refused to adhere to the covenant of the League of Nations with a decisive rejection which I regard as final."

"Complete independence means complete coordination and cooperation. From this principle arises the oft-repeated law of service—we can help ourselves only as we help others. One of the preeminent requrements of our country at the present time is to emphasize in the public mind this uaw of service."

"I trust that private American capital will be willing to participate in advancing this loan (to Germany under the Dawes plan). Sound business reasons exist why we should participate in financing the work of peace in Europe."

Turning then to foreign affairs, the president, after repeating that the League of Nations is dead so far as the United tStaes is concerned, paid high tribute to Secretary Hughes for initiatng the idea of the experts' conference on reparations and lent impetus to the Dawes vice presidential boom by highly praising the work of Dawes and his assceiates in Europe.

Mr. Coolidge then warmly urged that American bankers make a large loan to Germany, to assure complete success of the Dawes plan. American gold can be of more use abroad than piled up at home, he said, emphasizing again the need of service.

And with the stability assured abroad, the president said, a new opportunity for American leadership for world peace may present itself.

EL PASO.—William Tobias and J. J. Fallow, former soldiers at Fort Bliss, were found guilty of conspiracy to dispose of $357,000 in liberty bonds, in federal court here. They were accused of being members of a nationwide bond theft ring.

Thirty-One Farmers Contest For Prizes Offered By C. Of C.

Announcement is made from the office of the Chamber of Commerce that there are 31 entries into the Cotton Contest of the Chamber of Commerce and the following is a list of them:

Verno Tebo on Vol Delong's farm. farm.

Bennie Higginbotham on J. L. Higgonbotham's farm.

Thos. M. Humphus on M. B. Humphus' farm.

B. C. Winn on farm belonging to himself.

Walter Jackson on farm belonging to J. J. Jackson.

J. L. Richardson on farm belonging to T. W. Brodnax.

Ausker Simms on farm belonging to St. Clare.

Eli Foster on farm belonging to Eli Foster.

Andrew Lee Butler on farm belonging to Luther Cox.

J. M. Williams on farm belonging to J. W. Stubenrauch.

Welton Roberts on farm belonging to J. M. Gilbrough.

O. F. Pitts on farm belonging to O. F. Pitts.

J. H. Allen on farm belonging to Magnolia Petroleum Co.

Dan Haddick on farm belonging to Mrs. Mattie Smith.

A. G. Carter on farm belonging to Harry D. Forrest.

J. D. Collins on farm belonging to himself.

J. A. Dease on farm belonging to A. T. Schulz.

Mrs. J. D. Easterling on farm belonging to R. A. Parker.

J. M. Carlton on farm belonging to Burrell Cox.

M. D. Cox on farm belonging to M. B. Cox.

Anderson Rawn on farm belonging to C. L. Watson.

Alf Tatum on farm belonging to C. L. Watson.

Milton Cox on farm belonging to M. B. Cox.

J. M. Cox on farm belonging to M. B. Cox.

C. B. Haddick on farm belonging to Mrs. R. L. Anderson.

Z. J. Liles on farm belonging to Z. J. Liles.

J. C. Kennedy on farm belonging to W. M. Kennedy.

Earl Sharp on farm belonging to J. W. McLendon.

W. O. McElroy on farm belonging to W. O. McElroy.

J. B. Moody on farm belonging to Cox Brodnax.

Of these the following have entered the Dallas News Cotton Contest.

B. C. Winn.

Bennie Higginbotham.

Eli Foster.

Ausker Sims.

J. H. Allen.

Cox W. Brodnax, chairman of the Agricultural Committee of the Chamber of Commerce and which committee has charge of the Cotton Prize contest, has instructed the announcement that this contest will be closed after April 30th, so all farmers who desire to enter this contest are urged to do so before that time.

It is pointed out that this is a trifle late for entering this contest, but the concession is made due to the fact that the cotton crop is generally very late.

The Chamber of Commerce urges all farmers who will enter, emphasizing two statements.

1st, that it is not to increase the total yield of cotton but is to encourage the "per acre yield."

2nd, that no entrance fee is charged and that a farmer who enters the contest can hardly lose anything by it, for if he does not win his experience will more than likely improve his farming methods.

All who are interested in this Contest are urged to address either of the three members of the Agricultural Committee of the Chamber of Commerce,

Cox Brodnax

J. W. Stubenrauch

Roy Stokes

or Ben F. Stollenwerck, Secretary of Chamber of Commerce, John H. Sweatt, President of the Chamber of Commerce or either of the three banks.

Senators Burkett And Collins Deliver Addresses To Same Crowd Monday Night When They Speak In Gubernatorial Race

For the first time during the present political campaign, two candidates for the office of Governor of Texas met on the same platform and spoke before the same crowd Monday night when Senator Joe Burkett of Eastland divided time with Senator V. A. Collins of Dallas. The addresses were delivered at the High School auditorium.

A Garland Adair, of The Mexia Daily News, presided and introduced both speakers.

The friends of Senator Burkett had secured the auditorium for him and when he arrived in the afternoon Monday and heard that Senator Collins was also to be here and that speaking places in Mexia were hard to get, he sent word to him that he would be glad to divide time with him and permit him to speak either first or last. Senator Collins accepted this generous offer, stating his thanks to Senator Burkett at the outset of his address and assuring their auditors that they were friends though rival candidates for the same office. Senator Collins stated that the accidental meeting was not to assume the form of a debate, that so many candidates were running that it was natural that there should be a conflict of dates

SENATOR V. A. COLLINS

SENATOR JOE BURKETT

sometime, that he was glad of the opportunity to hear Mr. Burkett and that he would seek opportunities during the campaign to hear all the other candidates.

In introducing Senator Burkett, Mr. Adair stated that he met the speaker the first time four years ago during the National Democratic Convention at San Francisco and that Judge Burkett, he was then Judge of his district, as a member of the Forty delegates at all times and on all occasions stood firmly on the intsructions that had been given them by the folks back home, urging loyalty to the people in such a manner as to win the

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SEVEN HI BLACK CATS PRACTICE FOR STATE CONTESTS

Seven members of the Mexia Hi Black Cat track team are vigorously practicing for the coming State meet which will be held at Austin May 1-3. The meet is being held under the auspices of the University of Texas Interscholastic League. Athletes from all parts of Texas will be present to take part in it and the competition will be rather keen.

The track men from Mexia Hi won the right to attend this meet by winning out at both county and district meets which were held a Groesbeck and Calvert respectively. Coach Poteet expects for some of his men places in their respective events and states that they will give the other aspirants a go for their money.

PROBABLE LINEUP

Here are the probable starters for the Mexia Gushers in the opening game of the '24 season which will be played at Nowlin Park tomorrow, Wednesday, April 23rd. The entry of the Mexia Gushers will be in the race from the first ball until the last has been thrown across and the umps lays aside his chewing gum, indicator, and the ball players throw their gloves and bats in the corner to await the arrival of another season.

Manager Fowlkes states that the following line up will be used by the Gushers in their attempt to best Johnny Vann's Corsicana Oilers:

Geppert, ss.
Butler, lf
McDowell, rf
Bryan, cf
Peake, 1b
Jones, 3b
Leedy, 2b
Fowlkes, c
Sanders or Crow pitchers.

The Corsicana line up will probably be as follows:

Darnaby, cf
Grubb, 3b
Etheridge, lf
Barrett, rf
Thornton, 1b
Sain, ss
Malmquist, 2b
Vann, c
Cantrell or Arguijo, pitchers.

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AN EMBARRASSING NEED

Mexia citizens had an opportunity Monday night of hearing matters of public interest discussed by two distinguished Senators of this State. It was not known before hand that they were to divide time. In fact they did not know it themselves until just a little while before the hour of speaking. Senator Joe Burkett's friends had secured the high school auditorium for him. Upon arrival, he noted that speaking places in Mexia were at a premium, there being no city auditorium. He accordingly graciously offered to allow Mr. Collins to occupy the platform with him and to divide time in a discussion of issues of paramount importance in Texas today. Senator Collins accepted and both apparently studiously exerted themselves to avoid a discussion of any of the issues of the campaign which might have been construed for the moment as a breach of courtesy. They are to be commended because of their chivalrous attitude in their race for the same high and honorable office and it is to be hoped that Texas will enter into the spirit of the campaign with the same enthusiasm, high purpose, and poise as that exemplified by these Texas gentlemen Monday night.

Day by day in every way, the attention is called to the citizenship of Mexia of the need for a civic meeting place, a town hall, where public questions may be discussed and community improvement engendered.

Mexia citizens have so long been without such a place that they have been educated not to attend public meetings instead of being trained to attend them and thus learn more about their country. Such a deplorable condition leads to neglect, indifference and all attendant evils. Mexia is bound to suffer.

If there is no other way to remedy the glaring deficiency other than to accept Ben Stollenwerck's suggestion that the upper story of the city hall be fitted up, then let's do that. If Mexia has a Charter, then the issues in that charter must be freely discussed. The charter would have less opposition, if Mexia had a meeting place where its provisions could be fully explained to interested citizens anxious to inform themselves.

Too, the auditorium is needed to prevent the embarrassments that come here to citizens on occasions like that of Monday when two candidates for Governor were here. Many similar occasions are to follow and the embarrassment of Monday is to be felt again unless action is prompt.

The improvement of North Belknap Street to the City Limits will do more to help business in Mexia than any other single achievement at this time. No more forceful argument was ever made for the Panama Canal than that which could be used for the improvement of this street, in so far as business interests of the people here an dservice to the community are concerned.

Horse Sense Used By These Animals

EL PASO, Texas, April 22.—"You can lead a horse to water but you can't make him drink—or swim."

Fourteen horses of the Prince Dairy company were found roaming the banks of the Rio Grande. Thieves had broken into the barns of the company, leading the horses to the river. After futile effort to make the horses cross the river, the "rustlers" abandoned their prize, leaving the "hose flesh" to roam the American side of the river.

Knights Templar Meeting Tonight

There will be a called meeting of Coeur de Lion Commandery, Knights Templar, tonight for work in the Red Cross degrees. Officers and candidates are urged to come early. Visiting Sir Knights are always welcome.

J. D. ARRINGTON, E. C.

CENTRAL TEXAS PRESS
By N. P. Houx.

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Money dosen't count—it's only love that matters, is the reason why Miss Beulah Lee Sullivan gave up a stage career and a millionaire fiance for Howard Beaufait, who is a struggling newspaper man of New York. Miss Sullivan, who was engaged to Leo Drury, son of Peter Drury, rich brewer and banker of Washington, met the attractive young Beaufait and —it was all off with Drury. And she is sure that she will be happier with love than millions, so she's off to New York to make a simple home for her husband. —Exchange.

That's the kind of woman for a poor newspaper man to marry, one that will be satisfied with his lot in life, and that will make a real home where statesmen and stateswomen might be reared. Money is not everything in this life—not by a jug full.

The editor of the Recorder and son, Randall, who are at Mineral Wells for treatment are getting along very well at present. They have been in a serious condition and we do not know when they can return home.—Fairfield Recorder.

We all sympathize with Editor Kirgan, and hope for his speedy and complete recovery.

Texas was credited with three members in the Wilson cabinet—four, if Colonel House should be included in the official family, albeit one was named from Missouri. One of the four, Mr. Burleson, says McAdoo is not available as Democracy's candidate for president. The silence of the others, namely, Messrs. Gregory, Houston and House, is rapidly reaching the painful stage.—Denison Herlad.

"Speech is silver, silence is golden."

Gov. Neff refused the honor of introducing Mr. McAdoo to a Dallas audience because he was expected to obligate himself and Texas Democracy to things they might resent and repudiate later. The bait was tempting perhaps, or would have been in the eyes of some people, but was entirely too small for a man of Pat Neff's calibre.—Koss Cyclone.

Taffy does not always win out in politics. It might be a powerful bait in business, but not with a man who knows what it is offered for.

Forty thousand bottles of bootleg whiskey dumped into the river off the docks of an army base brought 40,000 dead fish floating to the surface of the water. That ought to interest human poor fish that drink such and actually pay for it.—Fort Worth Record.

It is perfectly absured to expect forty thousand poor little fish to drink forty thousand bottles of liquor all at one time. That's a man's job.—West News.

If those fish had been as wise as the ant, they would have stored that booze for a dry day. But just like suckers, they tried to drink it all at once and got stewed and caught.

A motorist who has traveled over the greater portion of this country says he wonders why advertisers will still persist in wasting money on roadside bill board advertising. He says where the roads are good the tourist goes too fast to read the ads and where the roads are bad he's too mad to pay any attention to 'em.—Sam Miller in Mineral Wells Index.

And it costs too much to paint them in letters so large that one may read as he runs. Newspaper advertising is the best after all.

We don't know what the world is coming to. A sweet young woman is being required to languish in a Chicago jail house just because she killed her beau-lover while she was drunk and while her husband was out of town.—Groesbeck Journal.

It is not "coming," it is already here, and what more could be expected when the whole world seems to have gone mad on jaz and poor booze.

Many, many years ago, we are told, there was a tribe of people known as the Hittites, who passed a law that if a man was caught stealing bees he was stung to death. Bee stealing is now obselete, but the principle involved in this law has possibilities that could be used to good advantage today. For the speed maniac, who drives his car at a rate of speed which means death to others, why not pay the penalty by being compelled to drive his ownself to death; the bootlegger compelled to drink his own stuff and all fake stock salesmen made to buy their own wares. Enforced not only as a just punishment to the guilty but as a protection and example to others would bring tangible results in a decrease of the practice.—Bryan Eagle.

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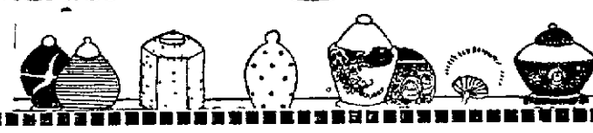

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Every Friday over 7,000 copies of the Mexia Daily News are sent out to people in every section of the United States.

It occurs to me that this presents a wonderful opportunity for Mexia people to advertise Mexia and sell Mexia to people all over this country.

In the rush of business of today, we seldom stop to think how many people and how many families are seeking new places to make their homes; how many business men are wanting new places for branch offices and branch stores and if Mexia is properly presented to these men and these families, doubtless many men and their families would move to Mexia to make their homes and would start in business in Mexia. The opportunity of advertising Mexia in this manner is far more reaching than might be thought, for while 7,000 people receive the Friday issue of the Mexia Daily News, more than that number of people read it for it can be safely said that the paper is handed on from one to another or the paper might be placed on a desk and some person, in his desire to know what is happening in the great State of Texas might pick it up and read it and become interested in Mexia. I think that the Friday issue of the Mexia Daily News should be a special one and should tell the outside world of all the advantages that our city and this section of our great state offer. We have good farm land and opportunities here but the ouside world is not going to know about them unless we tell them so. We should tell of our splendid schools; of our splendid churches and our commercial enterprises. We have a number of factories here, which will offer employment to a large number of men and women and these facts should be stated. There are a large number of people who are seeking employment or are trying to better themselves by getting employmnt more suited to their qualifications. It is possible for Mexia to get a large number of these people and attracting these families would materially aid our city.

Mexia offers advantages and opportunities to those seeking a place to establish a factory, for we have ground space that could be made available, electric power, paved streets and plenty of good water (provided we get a new charter) and the more factories, mills and business enterprises of various kinds that we can attract to Mexia will be an appreciable gain for this city.

I think that individuals should publish articles about Mexia in the Friday issue of the News; that pictures of our churches, schools, street scenes and business houses should be published, and that business houses, Civic clubs and other organizations should run attractive advertisements so that we might advertise our city and sell Mexia in a most attractive and pleasing manner to the whole United States.

Very truly yours,
J. K. HUGHES.

FORT ARTHUR, Texas.—Approximately 300 delegates and visitors are here for the twenty-seventh annual convention of the State Federation of Labor. The Rev. K. C. Minter, Woodsville, gave the chief opening address. He was greeted with cheers when he praised the American Federation of Labor's attitude toward "bolshevism."

WEATHERFORD, Texas.—Willie Waldock, 16, drowned to death here while saving the life of Francis Sears, 15. Miss Sears with girl companions was taking a plunge in a small lake near here. Willie, who was driving by heard the girls screaming for help, and rushed to the lake. He swam to the shore with the girl and pushed her to the bank. Then before he could climb to shore he sank back and drowned in water waist deep.

LONGVIEW, Texas.—Eugene Fright shot at F. M. Chaney, San Antonio mail clerk, four times during a scuffle over possession of a pistol. One bullet struck Chaney in the leg. Chaney was taken to San Antonio for medical attention. His wound was not serious.

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Sen. Burkett And Collins

commendation of Texans who eagerly read of the proceeding of the convention by the Golden Gate.

The Senator referred with appreciation to the introduction given him at the outset of his address. He gave his age as 39 and in this connection stated that there had been some criticism of him by those who claimed he was too young to be Governor of Texas. He briefly and modestly reviewed his record of public service and stated that many of the greatest men of our country rendered their greatest service while younger than he was.

He won general approval when he stated that this campaign, so far as he was concerned, should be one of no regrets. Senator Burkett is his own campaign manager and declares that he is too poor a man to maintain costly campaign headquarters.

Senator Burkett's address included statements as to his stand on A Central State Bank; Our Financial Problem; 8 per cent Interest Rate; Our Educational Problem; The Penitentiary System; Water Conservation and Flood Control and The State Highway System.

Both speakers referred to Lynch Davidson more than to other candidate contending for the office of Governor of Texas. They especially challenged his ability or the ability of any other candidate or citizen to cut taxes within the next two years. Both speakers are members of the Texas Senate and both were agreed there was no hope for a reduction of taxes within the next two years, pointing out that it never had been done by any governor no matter how freely he promises lighter tax burdens if elected.

Senator Burkett stated that Lynch Davidson had subscribed to a slogan, "Less government in business and more business in government." He said that big business also were clamoring for less government in business; that those who would make women labor day and night regardless of the needs of their tired bodies would like to see less government in business; Wall Street clamoring constantly for less government in business and that the violators of law everywhere also cry for less government in business. He stated that he believed in enough of government in business to afford protection to the weakest of our citizens and challenged Lynch Davidson to point out twelve laws which he thought should be repealed. He said there was not a Judge in Texas who would say that Texas had too many penal laws. He mentioned the repealed glaring head light law and said that Texas needed a glaring head light law as a score or more of people had been killed in this state since that measure had been declard unconstitutional and that the accident in which they lost their lives could be traced to the glaring head light.

In discussing "Our Eudcational Problem" Senator Burkett advocated that students in the State University over 21 years of age be required to pay tuition, stating that California and some other states that maintain universities of the first class require tuition payments. In defense of this stand he declared that the State does not owe anything to the adult citizen of 21 years in an educational way. Questions asked were "Does the State owe it to you or to me to educate either for our own personal welfare, at the expense of the remainder of the State?" "When the State has given us adequate education to cope with the practical affairs of life, should it go further, after we have reached manhood's estate, and provide us an education in liberal arts at the expense of the public. If that be true then when are we ever to be our own support and not look to the state for our support and learning. Now don't misunderstand me, I am for the higher institutions of learning, but I am for the common public free schools first."

Senator Collins was introduced following the first address which lasted about one hour. The chairman said that Texas was fortunate in having many citizens worthy to aspire to the high and exalted office of governor and that it would be a sad day in our history when Texas could produce but one man capable of serving as the Executive of this state. He commended the friendly relation between the two speakers as a policy and as an ideal which should be aspired to by voters as well as those voted upon, stating that as they came in one of them had said "You go ahead and speak first" and the other then said, "No you go ahead and speak first." "I am sure that it would be unfair to Mr. Burkett for me to say that we have saved the best until the last" said the chairman, "and I am just as sure that it would be unjust of us to suggest that Mr. Collins even expected such an introduction. It gives me pleasure to introduce Senator Collins who has rendered Texas many valliant services for which all Texans are truly grateful."

Senator Collins entered enthusiastically into his address. Senator Burkett had spoken quietly and earnestly, as if talking man to man from the bench. The contrast in style of delivery was therefore pronounced, as the last speaker, although using plain, clear cut English followed the style of the lawyer before the bar.

Although, Mr. Collins stated at the outset that the meeting was not to be a debate, he took cognizance of considerable of the address of Mr. Burkett, stating wherein they agreed and wherein they differed, bringing argument to bear on these points. He said that there were so many in the race that it was necessary to call names, as the speaker could not say, "My opponent says or my opponents say." In speaking of Lynch Davidson and T. W. Davidson, he remarked that both had been Lieutenant Governors and that when elected to that office, they were given the honor because the people did not believe them big enough for the office of Governor. The office of Lieutenant Governor is as far as they will go. These remarks were spoken in good humor and without heat or bitterness. He pointed out the fallacy of the pledge and promise of Lynch Davidson to reduce taxes by showing that this could not be done to any very appreciable degree without making our educational system, our good roads system and our eleemosynary institutions suffer tremendously. "I agree with Senator Burkett that there is not a chance to reduce taxes during the next two years. Governor Neff said he was going to reduce taxes, but he has not done so. Lynch Davidson cannot do so either." He said that Lynch Davidson has suggested a reorganization of the school system by which greater economies could be gained. In this connection he pointed out that school men and experts on the subject had striven for many decades to evolve a reorganization plan for the same reason but had failed. He pointed out that although the Texas law provides for a six months rural school, the schools, many of them, stay open only four months.

In speaking of Mr. Burkett's plan favoring the payment of tuition to the State University, he said he did not know whether such a step would be constitutional, in view of the provisions made by the fathers for an institution of the first class. He said that if that plan should be applied to the State University, it would also have to be invoked at A & M. and all other State institutions.

Senatro Collins referred to the statement of Dabney White of Tyler, who is supporting another candidate for Governor, who had declared that "V. A. Collins is responsible for more constructive legislation than any other single individual who ever occupied a seat in either House of the Texas Legilsature."

He referred to his combat with poverty as a boy for his start in life; to his record as Assistant Prosecuting Attorney of Jefferson County when Beaumont and the oil field district were for a time in the clutches of the lawless. Due to the courage and loyalty of the officers of that county and to the help of good citizens, the county was made safe and clean up even though it was for times worse than Mexia ever was.

He challenged anyone to meet him in a discussion as to the right of a Governor to invoke the military, except as provided for in the Constitution. He declared that laws were made for Governors as well as for citizens.

Six years a member of the Texas State Senate, Senator Collins was the author of:

State Wide Statutory Prohibition Law; Fifty Four Hour Female Labor Law, which Senator Burkett helped to carry; Eight Hour Law; Workmen's Compensation Law; Law providing for sanitary inspection of factories employing female labor; Contracting Stevedore Law; Valuable Amendments Child Labor Law; (Co-author) of Primary Woman Sufferage Bill, and was a member of the Senate Finance Committee."

He stated he favored an economical business administration consistent with adequate support of schools and eleemosynary institutions; the impartial enforcement of law in accordance with the constitution; Industrial development which will inure to the benefit of the entire citizenship and needed reforms in the penal system.

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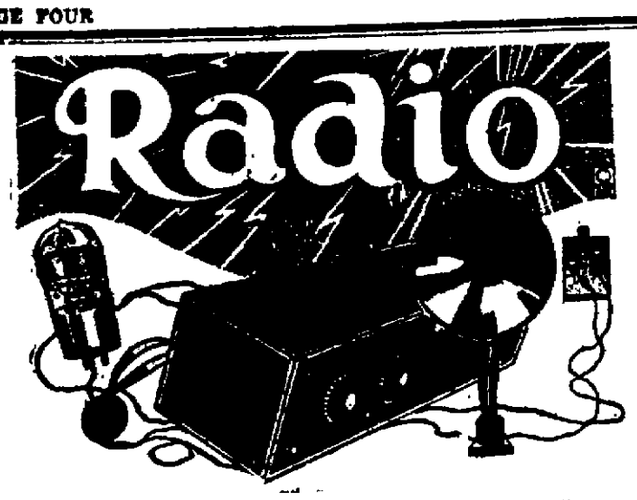

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Tune In Time—Central Standard Time
By DAISEY MAYS
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April 22, 1924
6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

WIP, 6, Uncle Wip's bedtime story.
WBZ, 6, "You and Your Public Utilities."
WDAF, 6 to 7, School of Air.
KDKA, 6:15, Address, A. L. Humphreys.
KYW, 6:25, "Astronomy."
WBZ, 6:10, Piano Solo.
WACE, 6:30 Uncle Kaybee.
KPO, 6:30 to 7:30, Seiger's Orchestra
WBZ, 6:30, Bedtime story.
WDAR, 6:30, Dream Daddy's story.
WJAX, 6:30, Program by Cleveland News-Leader.
WCAE, 6:45, Theatrical review.
WGY, 6:15, "Mountains and Mountain Scenery."
WDAR, 6:50, Play review.
7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

WFI, 7, H. Weston Taylor, artist.
WMAQ, 7, Talk on Hawiia.
KYW, 7, Dinner concert.
WHB, 7 to 7:30, Educational program.
KDKA, 7, Feature.
WGY, 7, Singing School.
WFI, 7:15, Banquet, Philadelphia Credit Men's Association.
WIP, 7:15, Philadelphia Police Band
KDKA, 7:15, "The Contemporary Novel—Some Guaranteed Novels."
KPO, 7:30 to 8:30, Children's story
WHAS, 7:30 to 9, Harmony Diggers
WCAE, 7:30, Musical program.
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30, Concert.
KDKA, 7:30, Nevin Trio.
WWJ, 7:30, News Orchestra.
8:00 to 9:00 p. m.

WHB, 8 to 10, Sweeny Orchestra.
KSD, 8, Studio Artists' recital.
KYW, 8, Musical program.
WMAQ, 8, Talk.
WDAF, 8 to 8.30, Barton organ recital.
WMAQ, 8:20, Americanization.
KYW, 8:20, American Farm Bureau
WMC, 8:30, Eastern Star Glee Club.
WFAA, 8.30 to 9:30, Music.
KPO, 8:30 to 9, "Cleveland Six."
KFSG, 8:30 to 9, Children's hour.
WMAQ, 8:10, La Salle Orchestra.
KFI, 8:45 to 9:30, Instrumental concert.
KHJ, 8:45 to 9:30, Children's period
KYW, 8:50, Musical program.
9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

WCX, 9, Red Apple Club.
KPO, 9 to 9:30, Seiger's Orchestra.
WMAQ, 9:10, Lecture.
WFI, 9:10, Kerr's Orchestra.
WIP, 9:15, Weems' Orchestra.
WJAX, 9:30, Dance program.
WMAQ, 9:30, Lyon-Healy program.
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45, Fort Worth Harmony Club.
KGW, 9:45, Talk for farmers.
10:00 to 11:00 p. m.

WLW, 10, Concert.
KHJ, 10 to 12, Program by Paul G. Hoffman Co.
KFI, 10 to 11, Concert.
WDAR, 10, Chapman's Orchestra.
KPO, 10 to 12, Orcheus Club.
KFSG, 10 to 10:25, "The Relation of the Church to the Law."
KGO, 10, Paradise Hawaiian Trio.
KFSG, 10:25 to 11:15, Sermon.
KDKA, 10:30, Queen City Orchestra
WSB, 10:45, Rainbow Orchestra.
11:00 to 12:00

KFI, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.
WFAA, 11 to 12, Musical recital.
WMC, 11, Midnight frolic.
KFSG, 11:15 to 12, Sacred concert.
WLW, 11:30, Masked Serenaders.
WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

Wichita Falls, 8, Dallas 6.
Houston 8, Galveston 7.
Fort Worth 10, Shreveport 2.
San Antonio 5, Beaumont 3.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
San Antonio	6	6	0	.1000
Wichita Falls	6	5	1	.833
Dallas	6	5	2	.667
Houston	5	3	2	.600
Fort Worth	6	3	3	.500
Beaumont	5	1	4	.200
Galveston	6	1	5	.167
Shreveport	6	0	6	.000

Where They Play Today.

Wichita Falls at Dallas.
Galveston at Houston.
San Antonio at Beaumont.
Shreveport at Fort Worth.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

Cleveland-Chicago, rain.
St. Louis-Detroit, rain.
Philadelphia 4, Boston 0.
New York 4, Washington 2.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	5	4	1	.800
Detroit	5	4	1	.800
Boston	5	3	2	.600
Philadelphia	5	3	2	.600
Washington	6	3	3	.500
New York	6	2	4	.333
Cleveland	4	1	3	.250
St. Louis	6	1	5	.167

Where They Play Today.

St. Louis at Detroit.
Cleveland at Chicago.
New York at Washington.
Philadelphia at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.

New York 2, Boston 1.
Booklyn 7, Philadelphia 4 (10 innings.)
Cincinnati 2, Chicago 1 (10 innings)
St. Louis 11, Pittsburgh 9.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P.	W	L	Pct.
New York	6	5	1	.833
Cincinnati	6	4	2	.667
Chicago	7	4	3	.571
Brooklyn	6	3	3	.500
St. Louis	7	3	4	.429
Pittsburgh	6	2	4	.333
Boston	4	1	3	.250
Philadelphia	4	1	3	.250

Where They Play Today.

Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincannati.
Boston at New York.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.

Mobile 7, Birmingham 1.
New Orleans 5, Atlanta 3.
Memphis 9, Nashville 0.
Little Rock 6, Chattanooga 0.

Where They Play Today.

Little Rock at Chattanooga.
Memphis at Nashville.
Mobile at Birmingham.
New Orleans at Atlanta.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Delphian Chapter meets.
Prayer meeting at all local churches.
Masons meet at Masonic Hall in the evening.
T. A. Baseball League opens at Gusher Park.

Thursday

Rotary Club luncheon at Majestic cafe.
Camp Fire Girls meet.
Regular meeting Knights of Pythias at K. P. Hall.

Friday

Friday Club meets.
Lions Club luncheon at Majestic Cafe.
All Boy Scout troops meet.
Rebeccas meet at K. P. Hall in the evening.

Saturday

Junior Dramatic Club meets at Library in the morning.

TICKETS ON SALE FOR OPENING GAME

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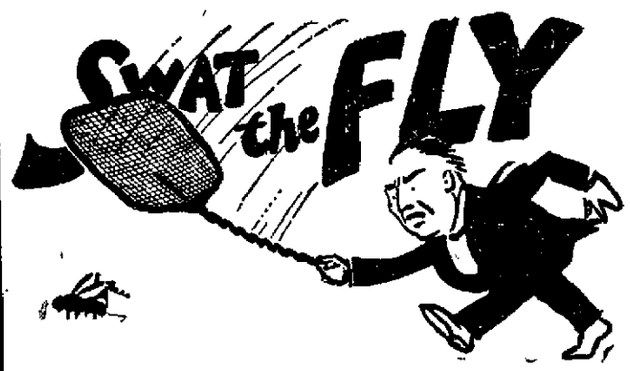

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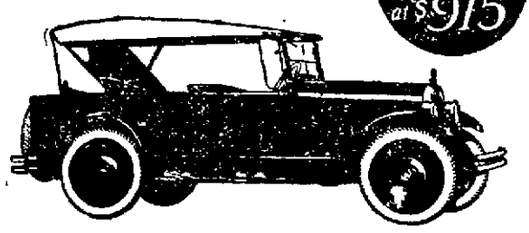

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Come On Everybody—
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Give our boys a grand send-off! Let them know you are for them by attending the Opening Game. If you can't attend the first game, send some one!

This page is contributed by the following men:

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We Must Win That Cup!!!

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Danger To Cut Municipal Pay

RANGER, Texas, April 22.—Ranger has abolished both its municipal judge and attorney as a policy or retrenchment.

Mayor R. H. Hodges, and other members of the commission, agreed to let the mayor serve all three offices, eliminating $150 in salaries formerly paid the judge and attorney.

"I don't relish my new job," Mayor Hodges said. "However it is a matter of economy, and I'll be glad to serve for that reason."

EDITOR PAYS TRIBUTE TO DAUGHTER ON HER MARRIAGE

John H. Cook, editor of the Rockdale (Colo.) Reporter, paid a very beautiful tribute to his daughter on the occasion of her marriage a few days ago. Here's what he said in his paper:

"Time flies! And never has the editor more seriously realized the truth of the trite statement than as he pens these lines. For we have this day given in marriage our first born. The beautiful daughter sent by a gracious Heavenly Father to bless our home with her loveliness of disposition; to share with us the favors of a merciful God; to help us mother the younger members of the household; yea, even to step into the editorial harness itself in time of stress and need; and withal, to make us humbly thankful to the great Comforter above that there is in reality balm in Gilead; that dear daughter has now gone out from the home roof to make happy the home of her husband, even as she has blessed and made happy the home of her dad.

"We hope our readers will pardon this intrusion of personal feeling in this column. We feel impelled to pen these lines, deeming it a duty as well as a privilege to pay this just tribute to one of the noblest daughters with whom man was ever blessed. Flowers for the living! We would therefore lay this one rose tenderly on the altar of our mutual love.

"And it is not in sadness that we write, but rather in a spirit of sharing the new found joy that is hers. Time flies. The home is empty only that another may be builded. Yesterday is gone; today is fleeting; tomorrow is yet to be fathomed. The great scheme of life as laid down by an Allwise Power must be served.

"And so we say to the dear one: Bon voyage, my dear. You have been a dutiful daughter, a loving, sympathetic, unselfish, self-sacrificing daughter. And as you have made the home of your dear old dad, so will it now be your duty and your pleasure to make happy the home of the man you have chosen for a life companion. Bon voyage, my dear, and God bless the new home you are to grace."

LIFE'S PEACEFUL ENDING

We read a few days ago where Mrs. Elsie Jackson, who a month or so ago had celebrated her 101st birthday had died. It is stated that in the morning of the day of her death she had gone about doing her household work as had been her custom for so many years. Then she complained of being tired and lay down to take a nap and quietly entered the rest that knows no awakening until Christ shall appear in the clouds and the trumpet is sounded. When they went to call her they found she was dead.

Sometimes men talk about dying in the harness, but few of them do so as gracefully as did this good old tired mother. She made no fuss about it. She simply said she was tired and wanted to rest. No need to send for the doctor. She had been tired many times before in her life but sleep had always refreshed her. She would repent the old-time experiment once more. But while she slept her spirit took its flight. She had reached the end of a long trail without knowing it. Perhaps it is better to go that way. After a life of labor and love for others, this good old sould passed over as easily as she had been wont to fall into natural sleep.

Perhaps most if not all of those who live to ripe old age would prefer to go that way. It seems so easy to make the great transition by just lying down while still in comparative health and gliding out into eternity unconcernedly.—Grandview Tribune.

LIONS CHALLENGE ROTARIANS TO GAME OF BASEBALL

The Lions Baseball club has challenged the Rotary club for a baseball game. The only condition imposed by the challengers is that the Rotarians practice thirty days before the game. The challenge was sent by Jere Cason, secretary of the Lions club to Ben Stollenwerck, secretary of the Rotarians.

DALLAS.—Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kronsberg filed suit for $18,250 damages from their landlady and a bed manufacturer for alleged injuries received when their bed collapsed and they fell out.

CONTRAST IN PRICES

In 1539 a printed copy of the Bible was sold for a sum, the twentieth century equivalents of which would be forty-five and thirty-seven dollars respectively, for bound or unbound copies. According to an old record in 1541, the price had fallen to twenty-three dollars.

These old manuscripts, of which there are perhaps not more than one hundred fifty extant, are now worth their weight in gold and more. Recently a valuation was noted at $5,000. Old manuscripts of pre-printing days, and the early printed copies are ranked among the most precious literary treasures of the world.

From the bookmaking standpoint the Big Print Red Letter Bible is the finest of them all. In times to come it may prove to be a museum piece, as these others came to be, but just now it is within the reach of all and should have its niche in every home. Look in another column for the offer this paper is making. Because of the limited number at the disposal of this paper only three coupons are required to be clipped.

SAVSE DE GRACE, Md.—Exterminator, the 9-year-old Kilmer Gelding, increased his total earnings to $251,496 when he won the $2,000 Edgewood purse at a mile and seventy yards. He is still $40,000 away from the record of Zev and Ising Glass.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Higgs, and daughter, Miss Neveille Higgs, of Bryan, were visitors to Mexia Friday.

Always Looking for Spooks And Things

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 22.—When Mrs. Ayar Zagoita saw a black suspicious looking box under her store in the suburbs here, she called for the police.

A large crowd gathered at the store as the officers prepared to open the box, the spectators scattering fearing for the worst.

The mysterious looking box proved only to be an empty salesman's sample case thrown under the store probably by some thief after taking its contents.

DALLAS.—Plans have been made by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company to build a warehouse and garage here. The warehouse will be of two stories 100 by 150 foot and the garage will have 8,000 square feet of floor space.

C. J. Harris of the Frick Reid Supply Company and George Bell were Merlin visitors Thursday.

Quite a number of Mexiaites are in Groesbeck today to hear the address delivered this afternoon by Governor Pat M. Neff.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Jones and family were the guests of Mrs. Louise Cole, of Groesbeck last Sunday.

Don't fail to see the Average Man.

Mrs. Lila Peyton returned Wednesday night from Fort Worth where she was the guest of Mrs. E. H. Richardson. Mrs. Peyton attended the ceremonies of the laying of the cornerstone of the Eastern Star home, which is being erected at Fort Worth, while on her visit there.

CONSTABLE SALE

The State of Texas
County of Limestone.

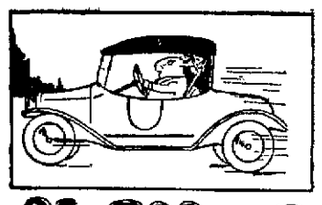
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of 77th Judicial District, Limestone County, on the 9th day of April, 1924, by Johnson Wakefield, Clerk of said Court, for sum of One Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Five and 51-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgement, in favor of Will Rogers, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3651-A, and styled Will Rogers vs J. M. Allen et al, placed in my hands for service, I, J. P. Felz, Constable of Precinct No. 4, Limestone County, Texas, did, on the 10th day of April, 1924, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Limestone County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of lots Nos. 1 and 2 in division B, of Section 24 of Kauhl's Sunrise Addition to the town of Mexia, according to the map of said addition recorded in Vol. 109, page 140 of the deed records of Limestone County, Texas, and all improvements thereon, and levied upon as the proyerty of O. L. Lusk, and that on the first Tuesday in May, 1924, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Limestone County, in the town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said Execution, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said O. L. Lusk.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 10th day of April, 1924.

JOE P. FELZ, Constable,
Precinct No. 4, Limestone
County, Texas. 13-20-27



RE-TOP for Easter

Dress up that car of yours. Put a new top on it, maybe new curtains and cushions.

Make it look like new again.

It can be done at our shop.

R. G. McDONNELL

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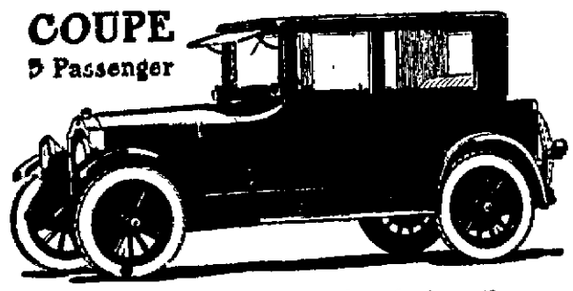

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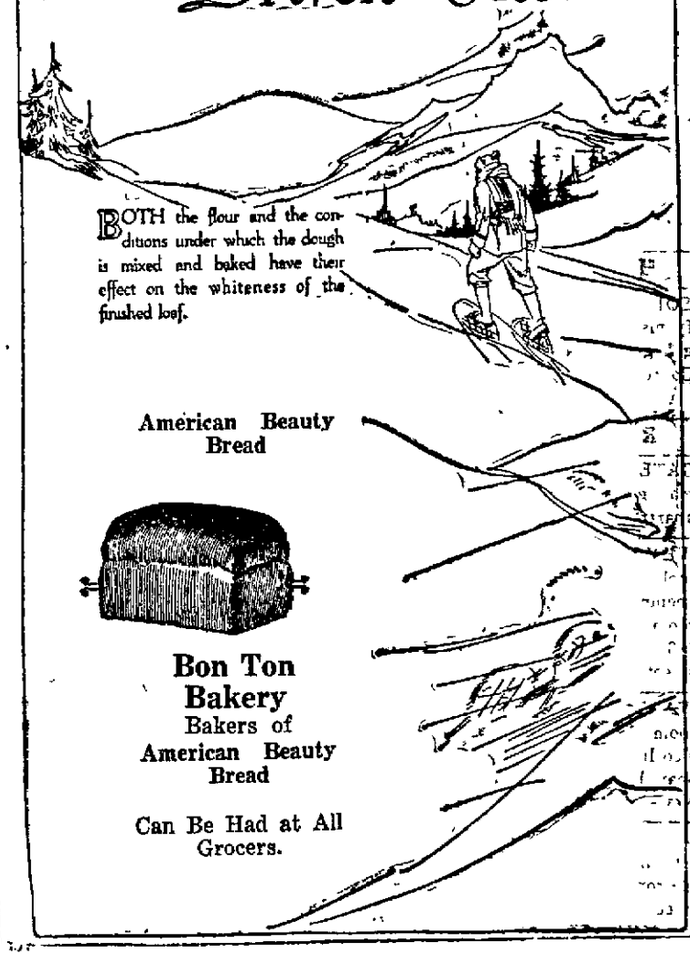

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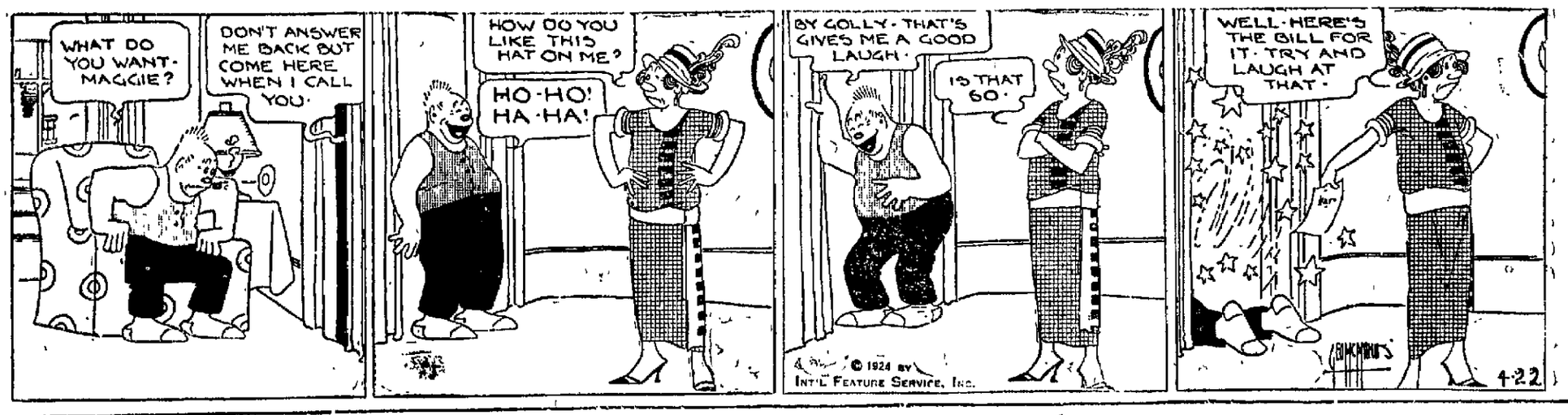
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CLASSIFIED RATES—One cent a word for each insertion. No single ad taken for less than 25 cents. Everybody reads these little ads, so if you want to buy or sell, or have lost or found any article, here is where you can get good results. No advertisement accepted over the telephone except from those who have a Regular Charge Account.

HELP WANTED—A

BEAUTY WORK—6 women to travel, demonstrate and sell dealers well known toilet goods. $25 to $50 per week. Ry. fare paid. If not free to travel ask about our local representative proposition. Experience desirable but not necessary as we train you. Write quick. Goodrich Drug Co., Omaha, Nebr.—(Adv.)

WANTED—Women to paint lamp shades for us at home. Easy, pleasant work. Whole or part time. Address Nilsert Company, 3698, Ft. Wayne, Indiana. 16A6

SALESMEN WANTED—For one of the largest sales organizations in the country; good worker can easily make $8.00 to $10.00 per day. Apply to J. T. Barrett, 318 N. Sherman street or phone 108-J. With or without car. 18A7

WANTED—Practical Nurse at once. P. O. Box 704. 22A7

LOST AND FOUND—D.

STOLEN—Back seat out of Overland car in front of Elks club Wednesday morning. Return to Elks Club and nothing will be said. 16D7

STRAYED—Saturday evening small young yellow cow, with two weeks' old calf. Ben W. Jackson. Phone 711. 21D2

WANTED TO BUY—E

WANT TO BUY—J. K. Hughes Developing Company, E. L. Smith Oil Company, Mexia Heart of Pool Royalty Company, Powell Five Hundred. Jesse McLendon, room 1 McLendon building, Mexia, Texas. 18E30

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—F

WE SELL and exchange all kinds of furniture, floor covering, stoves, and kitchen hardware. M. Langston, new and second hand furniture. Phone 56. May 10tf.

FOR SALE—J

FOR SALE—Residence lots; water, sewer, lights and gas. Paving to be laid soon. $10 down, $5 monthly. Carl Davis, New Way Laundry, phone 339. 16J7

REAL SILK HOSIERY—The economical way of buying silk hose. Mrs. J. D. Burchim, representative. Phone 398, address 223 East Milam street. 20J7

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Nice home at Reunion Grounds; pike road, 20 minutes drive to town. O. Lewis, Mexia, Texas. 21J3

FOR SALE—Good second hand car for sale or trade on terms. O. Lewis, Mexia, Texas. 21J3

FOR SALE—Ford roadster at bargain. Call B. W. Ehrlich, 211 North McInney. Phone 776. 21J4

FOR SALE—On small monthly payments. Close in on paved street, no paving tax, two places; one 5-room and one 2-room; on good lots. Might consider car. Call at 410 E. Hopkins. 20J4

HOUSES FOR RENT—K

FOR RENT—Two story garage unfurnished, three rooms, bath and garage, on paved street. Phone 530. Corner Kaufman and Bowie streets. 20K4

ROOMS FURNISHED—L

GATES APARTMENTS—Under new management, two and three room apartments for rent. Phone 633. 7L30

WHY SLEEP in an oven? Have large cool up and down stairs light housekeeping rooms, furnished, also one 4-room, one 5-room house close in. Call 683J, or see them 201 North Bonham street. 18L7

WANT TO RENT—One unfurnished room for light housekeeping. Would also like to have garage with room or near by if possible. Box H, Care News. 21L2

W. J. Miles, the Singer Sewing Machine man, has taken over the Metropolitan Hotel on 508 East Milam street and will give board and room for $8 and $8.50 per week. Phone 632-L. 20-3

FOR RENT—Good five-room house, 824 North Red River street; gas, lights water and sewerage. See W. D. Wight, phone 422or 228. 22L3

Will dip cattle at following places: Reunion grounds, Monday Rooson vat Tuesday, Springfield Wednesday, Carter vat Thursday, Estes vat Friday, Forest Glade vat Saturday. O. Lewis. 21-3

NOTICE

This section of the county is free from quarantine and it is not compulsory that you dip your cattle. But in order to prevent any return of ticks and to clean your cattle of lice you should dip them. I have made arrangements thru the Commissioners Court to dip your cattle without cost to you, during March April and May. I will dip on the following dates, weather permitting: Reunion Ground vat, April 7th; Rosson, April 8th; Springfield, April 9th; Trotter, April 10th; L. C. Estes vat, April 11th. Other dates will be announced late. Notify your neighbors and make arrangements to dip on above dates. For further information, see O. LEWIS, Mexia, Texas. tf

HILLSBORO, Texas.—W. S. Miles, employe in the Waco Cotton Mills; was charged with murder here today in connection with the shooting to death of Ben Freeman. Freeman, who was employed in the Hillsboro Cotton Mills, was shot down when he passed Niles on the street in his automobile. Several persons witnessed the shooting.

GILMER, Texas.—W. W. Hyde, prominent local physician, was charged with murder today following the shooting to death of Dick Adkinson. Adkinson was shot in the breast with a shotgun while riding in his farm wagon at Big Sandy, near here.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Celia Cooney, for whom a nationwide search has been under way as New York's bobbed hair bandit, has been captured at Jacksonville, Fla., according to advices to the police here. She was captured with her husband Edward Cooney, it was said.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—President Coolidge today held lengthy conferences with Secretary of State Hughes and Senator Lodge, republican Senate leader, giving rise to the belief that there are developmnts in the impending Japanese immigration question. Though all parties are uncommunicative, it is learned that the Japanese question was discussed.

The Average Man Friday, April 25.

Sage Tea Turns Gray Hair Dark

That beautiful, even shade of dark, glossy hair can only be had by brewing a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray or streaked, just an application or two of Sage and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundredfold.

Don't bother to prepare the mixture; you can get this famous old recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients at a small cost, all ready for use. It is called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound. This can always be depended upon to bring back the natural color and lustre of your hair.

Everybody uses "Wyeth's" Sage andn Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that no body can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair has disappeared, and after another application it becomes beautifully dark and appears glossy and lustrous.—(Adv.)

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is a prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fever, Dengue or Bilious Fever. It kills the germs. (Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wofford, of Coolidge, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wofford Sunday afternoon.

Once more the world's largest circus is announcing that it is "Bigger and Better Than Ever." And, if you are not too old, it will be.

Try he new studio this time. 1-30t

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon John H. Brown and M. J. Kallet by manking publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the First Monday in May, A. D., 1924, the same being the 5th day of May, A. D., 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 11th day of April, A. D., 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court as No. 4450-B, wherein Bradford Supply Company, a corporation is plaintiff, and John H. Brown and M. J. Kallett are defendants, and said petition alleging:

That plaintiff at the instance and request of defendants on or about July 18, 1922 and covering a period through December, 1922, sold and delivered to them various goods, machinery and oil well supplies, amounting to the sum of $1818.09, in consideration of which defendants promised to pay plaintiff upon demand said amount, all of which is fully shown by an itemized statement of the dates goods and amounts charged therefor attached to plaintiff's petition; that said material was used by defendants in the development and improvement of an oil and gas lease; that on March 26, 1923, plaintiff fixed a materialman's lien as required by law covering all the lease, leasehold estate, oil and gas rights in and under the following land: Being a part of the land owned by W. D. Freeman, H. W. Freeman and H. C. Freeman and described in a deed record in Vol. 105, page 434, deed records of Limestone County, Texas. Beginning in the southeast line of said tract, north 52½ east, 437.7 vrs. from the southwest corner of the tract which is the southwest corner of a twenty acre tract heretofore leased to Joseph Danciger; Thence North 35½ west with Danciger's northeast line, 356.7 vrs.; Thence north 52½ east 158.2 vrs. to the southwest line of a 40 acre tract heretofore leased to R. L. Sprinkle; Thence south 35½ east with Sprinkle's Southwest line, 356.7 vrs. to the southeast line of Freeman's tract which is R. L. Sprinkle's southwest corner; Thence south 52½ west 158.2 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres. That said lien was filed on said lease hold estate for oil and gas rights, said lease hold estate being known as the Wofford & Jackson lease, which was operated by Ben Wofford and M. M. Jackson under the firm name of Wofford & Jackson, as agents of these Defendants and the remaining joint owners. That said account is past due and unpaid and defendants have failed and refused to pay same or any part thereof except the sum of $500.00 to plaintiff's damage in the sum of $1319.09.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendants be cited to appear and answer herein, and that it have judgement foreclosing its Materialman's lien to satisfy said indebtedness of $1318.09, together with costs of suit and such other relief as it may be justly entitled.

Herein fail not, and have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this the 11th day of April, A. D., 1924.

(Seal)

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD,
Clerk, District Court,
Limestone, County.
By RUBY LAWLEY, Deputy.
April 11-18-25 May 2.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas,
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable 87th District Court of Limestone County, of the 21st day of March, 1924, by The District Clerk, of said Limestone County, Texas, for the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Seventy Five & 73-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under an Execution in favor of Farrar Lumber Company, Inc., in a certain cause in said Court, No. 4216-B and styled Farrar Lumber Company, Inc. vs O. L. Lusk, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy, as Sheriff of Limestone County, Texas, did, on the 9th, day of April, 1924, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Limestone County, Texas, described as follows, to wit:

Being all of Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Division B. of Section 24 Kauhl's Sunrise addition to the town of Mexia Texas, according to the map of said addition, recorded in Vol. 109, page 140 of the deed records of Limestone County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of O. L. Lusk, and that on the first Tuesday in May, 1924, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Limestone County, in the town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Execution, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said O. L. Lusk.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 10th, day of April, 1924.

WHIT POPEJOY,
Sheriff Limestone
County, Texas.
By N. P. HARRIS, Deputy.
April 11-18-25

CRUDE OIL PRICES

Midcontinent.

Below 30 gravity	$1.25
30 to 32.9 gravity	1.45
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.75
36 to 38.9 gravity	2.00
39 gravity and above	2.25

Magnalia prices:

Below 28 grivity	$1.00
28 to 30.9 gravity	1.20
31 to 32.9 gravity	1.45
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.75
36 to 38.9 gravity	2.00
39 gravity and above	2.25

North Central Texas.

Corsicana light	$2.00
Corsicana heavy	1.00
Thrall	1.00
Mexia	2.00
Currie	2.25
Rockdale-Minerva	1.60

Owens Refining Company paying the following on Rockdale-Minerva:

36 to 38.9 gravity	$1.85
39 and above	2.00

South Texas.

Mirando	.80

Somerset.

Below 33 gravity	$1.15
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.40
36 to 38.9 gravity	1.60
39 gravity and above	1.75

Gulf Coast.

Grade A	$1.65
Grade B at Blue Ridge, Hull and Pierce Junction	1.40

Louisiana-Arkansas.

Caddo.

38 gravity and above	$1.70
35 to 37.9 gravity	1.60
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.50
Below 32 gravity	1.35

East Texas.

Nacogdoches shallow oil	$2.15

Premium of 50c a barrel over price of Texas Coastal Grade A crude posted for Nacogdoches shallow by Yuba Refining Company.

Homer.

35 gravity and above	$1.70
33 to 34.9 gravity	1.60
31 to 32.9 gravity	1.50
Below 31 gravity	1.35
33 gravity and above	1.60
Below 33 gravity	1.50

Bull Bayou.

38 gravity and above	$1.65
35 to 37.9 gravity	1.50
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.35
De Soto crude	1.70
Crichton	1.50
Bellevue	1.55
Jennings	1.65
Vinton	1.65
Edgerly crude	1.65
26 gravity and above	1.35
25 to 25.9 gravity	1.20
24 to 24.9 gravity	1.10

Smackover.

Below 24 gravity	1.00

El Dorado.

33 gravity and above	$1.70
Below 33 gravity	1.60
El Dorado east field (Calion)	1.00

Stephens District.

(Atlantic.)

Posted by Atlantic Oil Company:

28 gravity and above 60 degrees	$1.40
26 to 27.9 gravity at 60 degrees	1.35
23 to 25.9 gravity at 60 degrees	1.20
Below 23 gravity at 60 degrees	1.00

Eastern States.

New York Transit	$4.50
Bradford, Pa.	4.50
Other Pennsylvania grades	4.00
Cable	2.05
Ragland	1.00
Coring	1.95
Somerset, heavy	2.15
Somerset, light	2.15

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EFFECTIVE 12:01 A. M. JUNE 17th.
North bound—

845	From cut-off	1:47 p. m.
15	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:44 p. m.
31	Dallas Ft. Worth	12:50 p. m.
37	Dallas Ft. Worth	5:14 a. m.
17	Dallas Ft. Worth	4:35 a. m.
19	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:55 a. m.

South bound—

346	To cut-off	7:00 a. m.
16	Houston San Antonio	11:45 a. m.
32	From Dallas	10:08 a. m.
38	Austin San nAtonio	12:21 a. m.
18	Houston San Antonio	1:37 a. m.
20	Houston San Antonio	12:16 a. m.

T. & B. V.
North.
No. 8—3:25 p. m.
South.
No. 7—12:55 p. m.

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(Alf J. Harper — O. M. Wroe
Ben B. Hunt)
Over Mexia Drug Store
MEXIA, TEXAS

CANDIDATES

Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS
For District Clerk—
ELLIS DICKERSON.
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
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For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
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A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS. (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
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Mexia Expected To Win Cup For Biggest Crowds

Only one more day until they are off! Tomorrow at 3:30 the race for the Texas Association of Baseball Clubs will have definitely begun with the Gushers and the Oilers opposing each other in their best battle formation to capture the season's first honors. The outcome of the initial contest is a subject of some discussion but the odds are with the home boys apparently, both in that they will play at home and in that they have the advantage of a much longer period of training. The Gushers last jaunt into foreign territory resulted in two victories against one for their opponents while the Corsicana Club met disaster on a like trip, if this can be taken as holding out any proof of superiority.

The ticket selling campaign which the club here is waging is progressing with fairly good success. The Boy Scouts and their Scoutmasters are doing the work, each troop working as a unit. Prizes have been offered the troops selling the largest number of tickets, the first prize being ten dollars in cash, second five dollars and third two and one half dollars.

The first impression is often what counts the most. A flying start is what counts most in a race. That's what Mexia needs to give its club if it expects the club to bring home the pennant when the smoke has all cleared away at the end of the season and the winner is determined. And after the start a continuous and steady support will do the stuff. Mexia has as good a chance as any city in the league to win the silver loving cup and Mexia ought to win it. Let's start the season right with every fan in this part of fandom warming a seat in the big grandstand when the umps yells "Play Ball!" on the big day.

Fowlkes has had his men out at the park putting them through their final paces in preparation for the big day, and forming his final opinions as to the lineup with which he intends to hand the Oilers the little end of the score in the first game. And the second also.

Elks Band To Lead Parade before Game

By HECK

The old whangdoodle breaks loose at the ball yard tomorrow, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 when the Gushers tangle with the Oilers from Corsicana in the opening round of the Texas Association Baseball season and take it from me brother we are going to bust everything wide open when we start.

There will be a parade, at least I suppose there will be as no baseball season is properly ushered in without the parade, and said parade will be headed by the Elks' Band all decked out in their purple and white uniforms and headed by director Frank Werner, otherwise known as Luke McGluke the Trinity Bear Cat. I don't know who else will be in the parade if they do parade but I know plenty of fans who will parade if they do parade.

I don't even know who will umpire the combat but I hope it will be either Roy Akin, Jack O'Hearne or Jess Price, as they are all the umpires the league has and let me tell you right now they are all good ones—now don't argue with me and say "there aint no sich thing as a good umpire," for I know all three of them and they are dingers. You fans know Roy Akin and Jack O'Hearne and know that they are good and I'll stake my farm on Jess Price for he and I have been good friends for the past 'steen years and I know him to be a good umps and also I can vouch for the fact that Price is the best story teller you ever heard—get him started and find out.

I don't know who will pitch for the Gushers Wednesday and I doubt if Manager Fowlkes knows but I have a hunch that it will be Sanders with Carl Hill and Ludwick in the bull pen. I have a hunch that Arjuijo (ouija board) or Joe Cantrell will handle the artillery for the Oilers with Johnny Vann catching.

Corsicana has a strong club and must be counted in on the race for the rag and they are in better shape than the Gushers are now and I believe they carry a better punch. Anyhow it will be a good game and as there is a prize for the city that has the largest paid attendance at the opening game I hope to see great flocks and multitudes of fans jammed in Nowlin park Wednesday afternoon. Now lets all make it a point to be at the ball yard and get that cup. Boy, ain't it a grand and glorious feeling when the umps dusts off the pan at the opening game and turns to the stand and yells—"L—A—D—I—E—S and G—E—N—T—L—E—M—E—N, Battrizz for t'days game, for Corsicana, 'Ouijoboard' and Vann; for the home club, Sanders and Fowlkes—PLAY BALL!"

Hodziggidy!

KANSAS CITY, Mo—T. B. Brough Muncie, Ind., was locked up as a public menace after an auto which he was driving collided with five different cars in fifteen minutes.

DALLAS, Texas.—Schools and business offices were closed in Dallas today in commemoration of San Jacinto day. Special programs were held in celebration of the holiday.

SHERMAN, Texas.—G. E. Chapman formerly principal at Layne school, near Denison, stood acquitted by a jury here today of statutory charges. The former principal was charged with criminal assault upon one of his pupils.

GAINESVILLE, Texas.—Funeral services were to be held here Monday afternoon for Mrs. Thomas R. Hickman, wife of the ranger captain. Mrs. Hickman accidentally shot and killed herself Friday at Fort McKavett while handling a rifle.

A Senate committee and a New York court subpenaed Gaston Means to appear before them on the same day. Why doesn't Gaston syndicate his stuff?

An oil company removing a couple of thousand billboards along Western highways doubtless feels the business is now getting its publicity for nothing.

Sportlights

By BAB

Those who condemn the Gushers for the showing they made Sunday afternoon against the Bathers are possibly those who are not entirely acquainted with all the facts in the case. It is not the purpose of his column to make excuses but to state facts. The Gushers had just returned from a long trip playing every afternoon, and being up since before 3 o'clock on the morning before the Bather game. Rest is necessary to good playing just as it is necessary to good work. A team that loses sleep loses games. This is not to say that the game Sunday would have or should have gone to the Gushers but it does mean to say that the home club met the Bathers under heavy handicap, worn out with their Tyler trip. Give the home boys credit, and look out for that surprise Wednesday afternoon at Gusher park shortly after 3:30 p. m.

Jefferies, left hander for the Westminster Wildcats who pitched part of the game for the Gushers against the Marlin Bathers Sunday afternoon, showed mighty good form against the Marlin club when he allowed them only three hits during the last four innings, which he pitched. Only one score was run in for the Bathers during the time he was in the box and that on a Gusher error.

A large number of ladies were present Monday afternoon at the First Methodist Church to attend the special program given by the Missionary Society, presenting the Belle H. Bennett Memorial. A very helpful and inspiring program was rendered, bringing before us the needs of our great Scarritt Bible Training School. After which a social hour followed, delicious fruit punch and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Dean, of Huntsville, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Hodges last week end, returning to their home Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Dean's son and daughter accompanied them here.

Theodore Klug, Jr., and Doctor Box left Monday for Eagle Lake and Lüling where they will spend several days in looking over the oil interests of Mr. Klug. Mr. Klug is one of a company of six men who are putting down a test near Eagle Lae.

Mrs. Edna Goode Fike of Groesbeck, candidate for county treasurer, was in Mexia Tuesday circulating among the voters.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones, of Groesbeck, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Jones here Sunday. Mrs. Ollie Jones sister, Mrs. J. W. Cole, of Groesbeck also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jones here Sunday.

Major N. P. Houx was a Marlin and Groesbeck visitor today.

Tom Daugherty was a Groesbeck visitor Monday morning.

J. N. Medlock of Coleman, was a Mexia visitor Sunday.

J. W. Devenport, of Terrell was here Sunday.

C. B. Jones, of Marlin, was among the visitors to the city Sunday.

W. L. Mendenhall was here Sunday from Wichita Falls.

W. B. Buchanan was here from Corsicana Monday.

W. C. Lowe, of Greenville, was here Sunday.

Starting Monday, April 28th we the undersigned merchants do hereby agree to close our places of business at 7:00 p. m. daily except Saturdays:

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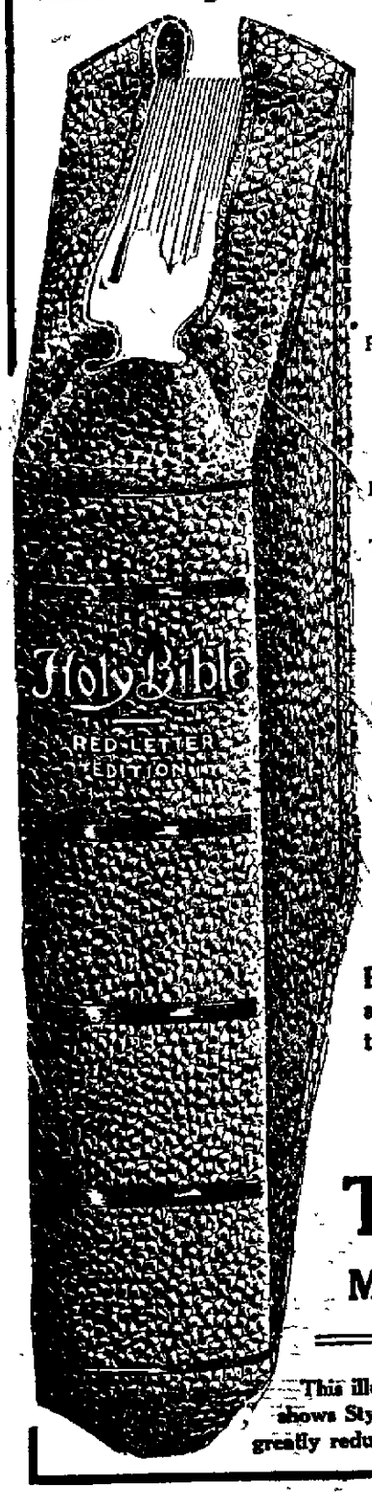

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MEXIA TO UNITE TO WIN ATTENDANCE TROPHY

Legion And Auxiliary Hold San Jacinto Program

Editors Hear Coolidge On Administration Issues

Scott Reed To Speak At The Joint Meet Tonight

The Nowlin Post of the American Legion and the Ladies Auxiliary will meet at the Legion Hall tonight at 7:30, at which time the ladies will serve a dinner to the membership and guests adn a San Jacinto program will be given.

Comrade Harry A. Porter will have charge of the entertainment and has been devoting considerable attention to the evening, hopeful of having a banner attendance.

Every member has been given a personal and urgent invitation to be present.

Comrade Scott Reed, County Attorney of Limestone County, will deliver the San Jacinto Day address. Mrs. W. B. Landrum will present several reading and other features will make the occasion one of profit, according to Post Commander Owen F. Watkins, who joins in extending the urgent call to Legionnairés to be present. The ladies have gone to an unusual amount of trouble in preparation for the event.

A large crowd is naturally expected.

Hoagland to Promote Foreign Trade.

Warren L. Hoagland, of Detroit, has been appointed by Secretary of Commerce Hoover to be Chief of the Specialties Division. He will interest himself in foreign trade promotion.

MOUND CITY, Kas., April 22.—John C. Scott went on trial here today for the second time on charges of murdering his wife, Eleanor Scott. Love of Arlene Scott, pretty 19-year-old niece of his wife, was the motive for the slaying, authorities contend. Charges of murder against Arlene were dismissed before she was brought to trial. In the first trial the jury disagreed after voting 8 to 4 for conviction.

Mexia Cotton Mills Stockholders Meet Thursday Morning

A meeting of the stockholders of the Mexia Cotton Mills has been called to meet in the room in the Hurdleston Hotel Building formerly occupied by the Worth Drug Store at 10 a. m. Thursday, April 24. The call for this meeting is being issued by temporary Secretary, Ben F. Stollenwerck, on instructions from J. K. Hughes, chairman of the stockholders committee.

The call explains that the meeting is for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization, for the election of a Board of Directors and such other business as may properly come before this meeting.

All stockholders are requested to furnish proxies in writing to any one they wish to have represent them as 51 per cent of the stock represented will be a quorum and the business will be dispatched and this article together with a letter being mailed to each subscriber is regarded as a legal notice of this meeting.

In speaking of the matter Secretary Stollenwerck said that nearly all of the subscribers have paid their first 10 per cent installment but those who have not done so are urged to do so before this meeting if possible, and if not, checks will be accepted at the meeting, and every subscriber is urged to be present whether they have paid their first 10 per cent or not.

It is naturally supposed, however, that the first 10 per cent of stock must be paid before a subscriber can vote in any of the proceedings.

GROCERS TO CLOSE AT 7 P. M. AFTER APRIL TWENTY-EIGHTH

Henry Felz reported this morning that the grocerymen of the city have signed an agreement to close at 7 p. m. every night except Saturday, beginning April 28. The agreement was circulated among the grocers down town and in the suburban districts, all of whom are reported as having signed up. The public's cooperation will be appreciated.

DENTON.—A. Coker pleaded guilty to driving an automobile while intoxicated. He was fined $100.

Business To Be At Standstill Wednesday Afternoon

Arrangements are completed for the closing up of practically the entire town on Wednesday, April 23rd for the opening of the Baseball season when Corsicana will be the opposing club.

O. Y. Manning, Retail Grocer on South Ross Avenue, phoned in to add his name to the list of names of those who will close and the National and Palace Theatres announce that they will also be closed and are going to the game, they are advertising this on their screen, and these names are to be added to the list published in Sunday's paper.

According to the agreement which was signed, the arrangement is that the stores are to close at 2:30 p. m. This enables them to have one hour to get ready to leave their respective places of business as well as to take care of any customers who may be in their stores at the time their doors are closed. So all who have signed up are herewith reminded that Wednesday, April 23rd, they are expected to close their places of business at 2:30 and remain closed until after the game, and one fan expressed it "Let's all go out and root in order to down our old antagonists from Corsicana."

British Fliers Now In Persia

BUSHIRE, Persia, April 22.—The British around-the-world plane, piloted by Major Stuart MacLaren, arrived here today and left immediately for Bander Abbas. With the arrival here the British fliers had covered a total of approximately 4000 miles.

DALLAS.—The first annual convention of the Retail Furniture Association of Texas, opens here Wednesday. They will remain in session two days.

S. M. U. President Offers Officers His Cooperation

DALLAS, Texas, April 22.—Dr. C. O. Selecman, priseident of Southwestern Methodist University, today offered federal investigators his cooperation in the grand jury in the probe of student bacchannal at Savage lake. "The University welcomes the grand jury investigation and has offered the federal authorities every assistance in bringing student ofrenders to justice," Dr. Selecman said. Dr. Selecman issued the statement as he came from the grand jury room where he had been suddenly summoned for questioning. Student leaders had previously appeared before federal investigators and revealed the names of bootleggers whosupplied the loquor for the lake orgy. President Selecman said an investigation by the faculty had been under way for two weeks, and intimated that several students would be dismissed.

W. D. FREEMAN UNDERGOES OPERATION AT DALLAS

Clay Freeman received word this afternoon that his brother, W. D. Freeman had just undergone an operation to remove his appendix and was resting nicely. He is in the Baptist Sanitarium at Dallas. Dr. T. F. Oates and Hugh Freeman, went on the early morning train to be present for the operation. The many friends of Mr. Freeman will be delighted to hear of his encouraging prospects for better health and are looking forward with pleasure to his return home.

CHICAGO, April 22.—Dorothy Dalton, movie actress, and Arthur Hammerstein, prominent New York theatrical man, were married here today.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Alcoholic insanity has increased more than 1000 per cent under prohibition, Dr. James Whitney Hall, chairman of the Chicago Lunacy Commission, declared before the House Judiciary Committee holding hearings on bills proposing the modification of the Volstead act. Dr. Hall presented figures to show the alarming increase in alcholiism during the past three years, and urged a modification of the enforcement act.

Woman Sea Diver Seeks Gold.

Miss Margaret Naylor, described as the first woman deep-sea diver, is in Tobermory, Scotland, to assist in the search for the millions of gold doubloons lost on the Spanish treasure ship Admiral of Florence, sunk off that port in 1588.

SEVEN HI BLACK CATS PRACTICE FOR STATE CONTESTS

Seven members of the Mexia Hi Black Cat track team are vigorously practicing for the coming State meet which will be held at Austin May 1-3. The meet is being held under the auspices of the University of Texas Interscholastic League. Athletes from all parts of Texas will be present to take part in it and the competition will be rather keen.

The track men from Mexia Hi won the right to attend this meet by winning out at both county and district meets which were held a Groesbeck and Calvert respectively. Coach Poteet expects for some of his men places in their respective events and states that they will give the other aspirants a go for their money.

PROBABLE LINEUP

Here are the probable starters for the Mexia Gushers in the opening game of the '24 season which will be played at Nowlin Park tomorrow, Wednesday, April 23rd. The entry of the Mexia Gushers will be in the race from the first ball until the last has been thrown across and the umps lays aside his chewing gum, indicator, and the ball players throw their gloves and bats in the corner to await the arrival of another season.

Manager Fowlkes states that the following line up will be used by the Gushers in their attempt to best Johnny Vann's Corsicana Oilers:

Geppert, ss.
Butler, lf
McDowell, rf
Bryan, cf
Peake, 1b
Jones, 3b
Leedy, 2b
Fowlkes, c
Sanders or Crow pitchers.

The Corsicana line up will probably be as follows:

Darnaby, cf
Grubb, 3b
Etheridge, lf
Barrett, rf
Thornton, 1b
Sain, ss
Malmquist, 2b
Vann, c
Cantrell or Arguijo, pitchers.

The President Says America Is Sound Today

NEW YORK, April 22.—President Coolidge came to New York today to address a gathering of editors on some of the most important issues confronting his administration.

The President's train arrived at 5:52 a. m,. but Mr. Coolidge and his party, in his private car, slept late, rising shortly before 8:00 a. m.

Breakfast for the President and Mrs. Coolidge was served at the Waldorf in a private dining room about 8:30.

He assailed the opponents of the Mellon plan, who, he said, were assuming the country wanted to evade the law of service and sought the benefits of government without paying for that government.

He said the dea that taxes on the great mass of the people could be cut and more taxes extracted from the rich was an unworkable principle.

He assured his hearers that fundamentally America is sound, its Government in honest hands and its business, "including the owners, managers and employes, representatives on honorable and patriotic motives."

High Lights in Speech

"Fundamentally, America is sound. It has both the power and disposition to maintain itself in a healthy economic and moral condition. But it cannot do this by making material prosperity its supreme choice. If America wishes to maintain its prosperity, it must maintain ts ideals."

"With a certain and definite settlement of German reparations firmly established, I would favor the calling of a similar conference (to the Washington conference) to achieve limitations of armaments, should prelminary inquiries disclose that such a proposal would meet with a sympathetic response."

"Our country refused to adhere to the covenant of the League of Nations with a decisive rejection which I regard as final."

"Complete independence means complete coordination and cooperation. From this principle arises the oft-repeated law of service—we can help ourselves only as we help others. One of the preeminent requrements of our country at the present time is to emphasize in the public mind this uaw of service."

"I trust that private American capital will be willing to participate in advancing this loan (to Germany under the Dawes plan). Sound business reasons exist why we should participate in fnancing the work of peace in Europe."

Turning then to foreign affairs, the president, after repeating that the League of Nations is dead so far as the United tStaes is concerned, paid high tribute to Secretary Hughes for initiatng the idea of the experts' conference on reparations and lent impetus to the Dawes vice presidential boom by highly praising the work of Dawes and his associates in Europe.

Mr. Coolidge then warmly urged that American bankers make a large loan to Germany, to assure complete success of the Dawes plan. American gold can be of more use abroad than piled up at home, he said, emphasizing again the need of service.

And with the stability assured abroad, the president said, a new opportunity for American leadership for world peace may present itself.

EL PASO.—William Tobias and J. J. Fallow, former soldiers at Fort Bliss, were found guilty of conspiracy to dispose of $357,000 in liberty bonds, in federal court here. They were accused of being members of a nationwide bond theft ring.

Thirty-One Farmers Contest For Prizes Offered By C. Of C.

Announcement is made from the office of the Chamber of Commerce that there are 31 entries into the Cotton Contest of the Chamber of Commerce and the following is a list of them:

Verno Tebo on Vol Delong's farm. farm.

Bennie Higginbotham on J. L. Higgonbotham's farm.

Thos. M. Humphus on M. B. Humphus' farm.

B. C. Winn on farm belonging to himself.

Walter Jackson on farm belonging to J. J. Jackson.

J. L. Richardson on farm belonging to T. W. Brodnax.

Ausker Simms on farm belonging to St. Clare.

Eli Foster on farm belonging to Eli Foster.

Andrew Lee Butler on farm belonging to Luther Cox.

J. M. Williams on farm belonging to J. W. Stubenrauch.

Welton Roberts on farm belonging to J. M. Gilbrough.

O. F. Pitts on farm belonging to O. F. Pitts.

J. H. Allen on farm belonging to Magnolia Petroleum Co.

Dan Haddick on farm belonging to Mrs. Mattie Smith.

A. G. Carter on farm belonging to Harry D. Forrest.

J. D. Collins on farm belonging to himself.

J. A. Dease on farm belonging to A. T. Schulz.

Mrs. J. D. Easterling on farm belonging to R. A. Parker.

J. M. Carlton on farm belonging to Burrell Cox.

M. D. Cox on farm belonging to M. B. Cox.

Anderson Rawn on farm belonging to C. L. Watson.

Alf Tatum on farm belonging to C. L. Watson.

Milton Cox on farm belonging to M. B. Cox.

J. M. Cox on farm belonging to M. B. Cox.

C. B. Haddick on farm belonging to Mrs. R. L. Anderson.

Z. J. Liles on farm belonging to Z. J. Liles.

J. C. Kennedy on farm belonging to W. M. Kennedy.

Earl Sharp on farm belonging to J. W. McLendon.

W. O. McElroy on farm belonging to W. O. McElroy.

J. B. Moody on farm belonging to Cox Brodnax.

Of these the following have entered the Dallas News Cotton Contest.

B. C. Winn.
Bennie Higginbotham.
Eli Foster.
Ausker Sims.
J. H. Allen.

Cox W. Brodnax, chairman of the Agricultural Committee of the Chamber of Commerce and which committee has charge of the Cotton Prize contest, has instructed the announcement that this contest will be closed after April 30th, so all farmers who desire to enter this contest are urged to do so before that time.

It is pointed out that this is a trifle late for entering this contest, but the concession is made due to the fact that the cotton crop is generally very late.

The Chamber of Commerce urges all farmers who will enter, emphasizing two statements.

1st, that it is not to increase the total yield of cotton but is to encourage the "per acre yield."

2nd, that no entrance fee is charged and that a farmer who enters the contest can hardly lose anything by it, for if he does not win his experience will more than likely improve his farming methods.

All who are interested in this Contest are urged to address either of the three members of the Agricultural Committee of the Chamber of Commerce,

Cox Brodnax
J. W. Stubenrauch
Roy Stokes

or Ben F. Stollenwerck, Secretary of Chamber of Commerce, John H. Sweatt, President of the Chamber of Commerce or either of the three banks.

Senators Burkett And Collins Deliver Addresses To Same Crowd Monday Night When They Speak In Gubernatorial Race

For the first time during the present political campaign, two candidates for the office of Governor of Texas met on the same platform and spoke before the same crowd Monday night when Senator Joe Burkett of Eastland divided time with Senator V. A. Collins of Dallas. The addresses were delivered at the High School auditorium.

A Garland Adair, of The Mexia Daily News, presided and introduced both speakers.

The friends of Senator Burkett had secured the auditorium for him and when he arrived in the afternoon Monday and heard that Senator Collins was also to be here and that speaking places in Mexia were hard to get, he sent word to him that he would be glad to divide time with him and permit him to speak either first or last. Senator Collins accepted this generous offer, stating his thanks to Senator Burkett at the outset of his address and assuring their auditors that they were friends though rival candidates for the same office. Senator Collins stated that the accidental meeting was not to assume the form of a debate, that so many candidates were running that it was natural that there should be a conflict of dates sometime, that he was glad of the opportunity to hear Mr. Burkett and that he would seek opportunities during the campaign to hear all the other candidates.

SENATOR V. A. COLLINS

SENATOR JOE BURKETT

In introducing Senator Burkett, Mr. Adair stated that he met the speaker the first time four years ago during the National Democratic Convention at San Francisco and that Judge Burkett, he was then Judge of his district, as a member of the Forty delegates at all times and on all occasions stood firmly on the intsructions that had been given them by the folks back home, urging loyalty to the people in such a manner as to win the

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AN EMBARRASSING NEED

Mexia citizens had an opportunity Monday night of hearing matters of public interest discussed by two distinguished Senators of this State. It was not known before hand that they were to divide time. In fact they did not know it themselves untitl just a little while before the hour of speaking. Senator Joe Burkett's friends had secured the high school auditorium for him. Upon arrival, he noted that speaking places in Mexia were at a premium, there being no city auditorium. He accordingly graciously offered to allow Mr. Collins to occupy the platform with him and to divide time in a discussion of issues of paramount importance in Texas today. Senator Collins accepted and both apparently studioulsy exerted themselves to avoid a discussion of any of the issues of the campaign which might have been construed for the moment as a breach of courtesy. They are to be commended because of their chivalrous attitude in their race for the same high and honorable office and it is to be hoped that Texas will enter into the spirit of the campaign with the same enthusiasm, high purpose, and poise as that exemplified by these Texas gentlemen Monday night.

Day by day in every way, the attention is called to the citizenship of Mexia of the need for a civic meeting place, a town hall, where public questions may be discussed and community improvement engendered.

Mexia citizens have so long been without such a place that they have been educated not to attend public meetings instead of being trained to attend them and thus learn more about their country. Such a deplorable condition leads to neglect, indifference and all attendant evils. Mexia is bound to suffer.

If there is no other way to remedy the glaring deficiency other than to accept Ben Stollenwerck's suggestion that the upper story of the city hall be fitted up, then let's do that. If Mexia has a Charter, then the issues in that charter must be freely discussed. The charter would have less opposition, if Mexia had a meeting place where its provisions could be fully explained to interested citizens anxious to inform themselves.

Too, the auditorium is needed to prevent the embarrassments that come here to citizens on occasions like that of Monday when two candidates for Governor were here. Many similar occasions are to follow and the embarrassment of Monday is to be felt again unless action is prompt.

The improvement of North Belknap Street to the City Limits will do more to help business in Mexia than any other single achievement at this time. No more forceful argument was ever made for the Panama Canal than that which could be used for the improvement of this street, in so far as business interests of the people here an dservice to the community are concerned.

Horse Sense Used By These Animals

EL PASO, Texas, April 22.—"You can lead a horse to water but you can't make him drink—or swim."

Fourteen horses of the Prince Dairy company were found roaming the banks of the Rio Grande. Thieves had broken into the barns of the company, leading the horses to the river. After futile effort to make the horses cross the river, the "rustlers" abandoned their prize, leaving the "hose flesh" to roam the American side of the river.

Knights Templar Meeting Tonight

There will be a called meeting of Coeur de Lion Commandery, Knights Templar, tonight for work in the Red Cross degrees. Officers and candidates are urged to come early. Visiting Sir Knights are always welcome.

J. D. ARRINGTON, E. C.

CENTRAL TEXAS PRESS
By N. P. Houx.

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Money dosen't count—it's only love that matters, is the reason why Miss Beulah Lee Sullivan gave up a stage career and a millionaire fiance for Howard Beaufait, who is a struggling newspaper man of New York. Miss Sullivan, who was engaged to Leo Drury, son of Peter Drury, rich brewer and banker of Washington, met the attractive young Beaufait and —it was all off with Drury. And she is sure that she will be happier with love than millions, so she's off to New York to make a simple home for her husband. —Exchange.

That's the kind of woman for a poor newspaper man to marry, one that will be satisfied with his lot in life, and that will make a real home where statesmen and stateswomen might be reared. Money is not everything in this life—not by a jug full.

The editor of the Recorder and son, Randall, who are at Mineral Wells for treatment are getting along very well at present. They have been in a serious condition and we do not know when they can return home.—Fairfield Recorder.

We all sympathize with Editor Kirgan, and hope for his speedy and complete recovery.

Texas was credited with three members in the Wilson cabinet—four, if Colonel House should be included in the official family, albeit one was named from Missouri. One of the four, Mr. Burleson, says McAdoo is not available as Democracy's candidate for president. The silence of the others, namely, Messrs. Gregory, Houston and House, is rapidly reaching the painful stage.—Denison Herlad.

"Speech is silver, silence is golden."

Gov. Neff refused the honor of introducing Mr. McAdoo to a Dallas audience because he was expected to obligate himself and Texas Democracy to things they might resent and repudiate later. The bait was tempting perhaps, or would have been in the eyes of some people, but was entirely too small for a man of Pat Neff's calibre.—Koss Cyclone.

Taffy does not always win out in politics. It might be a powerful bait in business, but not with a man who knows what it is offered for.

Forty thousand bottles of bootleg whiskey dumped into the river off the docks of an army base brought 40,000 dead fish floating to the surface of the water. That ought to interest human poor fish that drink such and actually pay for it.—Fort Worth Record.

It is perfectly absured to expect forty thousand poor little fish to drink forty thousand bottles of liquor all at one time. That's a man's job.—West News.

If those fish had been as wise as the ant, they would have stored that booze for a dry day. But just like suckers, they tried to drink it all at once and got stewed and caught.

A motorist who has traveled over the greater portion of this country says he wonders why advertisers will still persist in wasting money on roadside bill board advertising. He says where the roads are good the tourist goes too fast to read the ads and where the roads are bad he's too mad to pay any attention to 'em.—Sam Miller in Mineral Wells Index.

And it costs too much to paint them in letters so large that one may read as he runs. Newspaper advertising is the best after all.

We don't know what the world is coming to. A sweet young woman is being required to languish in a Chicago jail house just because she killed her beau-lover while she was drunk and while her husband was out of town.—Groesbeck Journal.

It is not "coming," it is already here, and what more could be expected when the whole world seems to have gone mad on jaz and poor booze.

Many, many years ago, we are told, there was a tribe of people known as the Hittites, who passed a law that if a man was caught stealing bees he was stung to death. Bee stealing is now obselete, but the principle involved in this law has possibilities that could be used to good advantage today. For the speed maniac, who drives his car at a rate of speed which means death to others, why not pay the penalty by being compelled to drive his ownself to death; the bootlegger compelled to drink his own stuff and all fake stock salesmen made to buy their own wares. Enforced not only as a just punishment to the guilty but as a protection and example to others would bring tangible results in a decrease of the practice.—Bryan Eagle.

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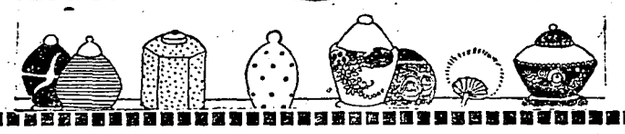

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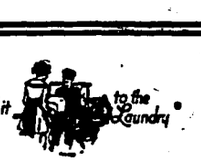

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Hughes Urges Use Of Mexia Daily News To Advertise City And Section Each Friday In Widely Distributed Issues

TO THE CITIZENS OF MEXIA:

Every Friday over 7,000 copies of the Mexia Daily News are sent out to people in every section of the United States.

It occurs to me that this presents a wonderful opportunity for Mexia people to advertise Mexia and sell Mexia to people all over this country.

In the rush of business of today, we seldom stop to think how many people and how many families are seeking new places to make their homes; how many business men are wanting new places for branch offices and branch stores and if Mexia is properly presented to these men and these families, doubtless many men and their families would move to Mexia to make their homes and would start in business in Mexia. The opportunity of advertising Mexia in this manner is far more reaching than might be thought, for while 7,000 people receive the Friday issue of the Mexia Daily News, more than that number of people read it for it can be safely said that the paper is handed on from one to another or the paper might be placed on a desk and some person, in his desire to know what is happening in the great State of Texas might pick it up and read it and become interested in Mexia. I think that the Friday issue of the Mexia Daily News should be a special one and should tell the outside world of all the advantages that our city and this section of our great state offer. We have good farm land and opportunities here but the ouside world is not going to know about them unless we tell them so. We should tell of our splendid schools; of our splendid churches and our commercial enterprises. We have a number of factories here, which will offer employment to a large number of men and women and these facts should be stated. There are a large number of people who are seeking employment or are trying to better themselves by getting employmnt more suited to their qualifications. It is possible for Mexia to get a large number of these people and attracting these families would materially aid our city.

Mexia offers advantages and opportunities to those seeking a place to establish a factory, for we have ground space that could be made available, electric power, paved streets and plenty of good water (provided we get a new charter) and the more factories, mills and business enterprises of various kinds that we can attract to Mexia will be an appreciable gain for this city.

I think that individauls should publish articles about Mexia in the Friday issue of the News; that pictures of our churches, schools, street scenes and business houses should be published, and that business houses, Civic clubs and other organizations should run attractive advertisements so that we might advertise our city and sell Mexia in a most attractive and pleasing manner to the whole United States.

Very truly yours,
J. K. HUGHES.

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PORT ARTHUR, Texas.—Approximately 300 delegates and visitors are here for the twenty-seventh annual convention of the State Federation of Labor. The Rev. K. C. Minter, Woodsville, gave the chief opening address. He was greeted with cheers when he praised the American Federation of Labor's attitude toward "bolshevism."

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WEATHERFORD, Texas.—Willie Waldock, 16, drowned to death here while saving the life of Francis Sears, 15. Miss Sears with girl companions was taking a plunge in a small lake near here. Willie, who was driving by heard the girls screaming for help, and rushed to the lake. He swam to the shore with the girl and pushed her to the bank. Then before he could climb to shore he sank back and drowned in water waist deep.

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LONGVIEW, Texas.—Eugene Eright shot at F. M. Chaney, San Antonio mail clerk, four times during a scuffle over possession of a pistol. One bullet struck Chaney in the leg. Chaney was taken to San Antonio for medical attention. His wound was not serious.

Sen. Burkett And Collins

commendation of Texans who eagerly read of the proceeding of the convention by the Golden Gate.

The Senator referred with appreciation to the introduction given him at the outset of his address. He gave his age as 38 and in this connection stated that there had been some criticism of him by those who claimed he was too young to be Governor of Texas. He briefly and modestly reviewed his record of public service and stated that many of the greatest men of our country rendered their greatest service while youngr than he was.

He won general approval when he stated that this campaign, so far as he was concerned, should be one of no regrets. Senator Burkett is his own campaign manager and declares that he is too poor a man to maintain costly campaign headquarters.

Senator Burkett's address included statements as to his stand on A Central State Bank; Our Financial Problem; 8 per cent Interest Rate; Our Educational Problem; The Penitentiary System; Water Conservation and Flood Control and The State Highway System.

Both speakers referred to Lynch Davidson more than to other candidate contending for the office of Governor of Texas. They especially challenged his ability or the ability of any other candidate or citizen to cut taxes within the next two years. Both speakers are members of the Texas Senate and both were agreed there was no hope for a reduction of taxes within the next two years, pointing out that it never had been done by any governor no matter how freely he promises ligher tax burdens if elected.

Senator Burkett stated that Lynch Davidson had subscribed to a slogan, "Less government in business and more business in government." He said that big business also were clamoring for less government in business; that those who would make women labor day and night regardless of the needs of their tired bodies would like to see less govrenment in business; Wall Street clamoring constantly for less government in business and that the violators of law everywhere also cry for less government in business. He stated that he believed in enough of government in business to afford protection to the weakest of our citizens and challenged Lynch Davidson to point out twelve laws which he thought should be repealed. He said there was not a Judge in Texas who would say that Texas had too many penal laws. He mentioned the repealed glaring head light law and said that Texas needed a glaring head light law as a score or more of people had been killed in this state since that measure had been declard unconstitutional and that the accident in which they lost their lives could be traced to the glaring head light.

In discussing "Our Eudcational Problem" Senator Burkett advocated that students in the State University over 21 years of age be required to pay tuition, stating that California and some other states that maintain universities of the first class require tuition payments. In defense of this stand he declared that the State does not owe anything to the adult citizen of 21 years in an educational way. Questions asked were "Does the State owe it to you or to me to educate either for our own personal welfare, at the expense of the remainder of the State?" "When the State has given us adequate education to cope with the practical affairs of life, should it go further, after we have reached manhood's estate, and provide us an education in liberal arts at the expense of the public. If that be true then when are we ever to be our own support and not look to the state for our support and learning. Now don't misunderstand me, I am for the higher institutions of learning, but I am for the common public free schools first."

Senator Collins was introduced following the first address which lasted about one hour. The chairman said that Texas was fortunate in having many citizens worthy to aspire to the high and exalted office of governor and that it would be a sad day in our history when Texas could produce but one man capable of serving as the Executive of this state. He commended the friendly relation between the two speakers as a policy and as an ideal which should be aspired to by voters as well as those voted upon, stating that as they came in one of them had said "You go ahead and speak first" and the other then said, "No you go ahead and speak first." "I am sure that it would be unfair to Mr. Burkett for me to say that we have saved the best until the last" said the chairman, "and I am just as sure that it would be unjust of us to suggest that Mr. Collins even expected such an introduction. It gives me pleasure to introduce Senator Collins who has rendered Texas many valliant services for which all Texans are truly grateful."

Senator Collins entered enthusiastically into his address. Senator Burkett had spoken quietly and earnestly, as if talking man to man from the bench. The contrast in style of delivery was therefore pronounced, as the last speaker, although using plain, clear cut English followed the style of the lawyer before the bar.

Although, Mr. Collins stated at the outset that the meeting was not to be a debate, he took cognizance of considerable of the address of Mr. Burkett, stating wherein they agreed and wherein they differed, bringing argument to bear on these points. He said that there were so many in the race that it was necessary to call names, as the speaker could not say, "My opponent says or my opponents say." In speaking of Lynch Davidson and T. W. Davidson, he remarked that both had been Lieutenant Governors and that when elected to that office, they were given the honor because the people did not believe them big enough for the office of Governor. The office of Lieutenant Governor is as far as they will go. These remarks were spoken in good humor and without heat or bitterness. He pointed out the fallacy of the pledge and promise of Lynch Davidson to reduce taxes by showing that this could not be done to any very appreciable degree without making our educational system, our good roads system and our eleemosynary institutions suffer tremendously. "I agree with Senator Burkett that there is not a chance to reduce taxes during the next two years. Governor Neff said he was going to reduce taxes, but he has not done so. Lynch Davidson cannot do so either." He said that Lynch Davidson has suggested a reorganization of the school system by which greater economies could be gained. In this connection he pointed out that school men and experts on the subject had striven for many decades to evolve a reorganization plan for the same reason but had failed. He pointed out that although the Texas law provides for a six months rural school, the schools, many of them, stay open only four months.

In speaking of Mr. Burkett's plan favoring the payment of tuition to the State University, he said he did not know whether such a step would be constitutional, in view of the provisions made by the fathers for an institution of the first class. He said that if that plan should be applied to the State University, it would also have to be invoked at A & M. and all other State institutions.

Senatro Collins referred to the statement of Dabney White of Tyler, who is supporting another candidate for Governor, who had declared that "V. A. Collins is responsible for more constructive legislation than any other single individual who ever occupied a seat in either House of the Texas Legilsature."

He referred to his combat with poverty as a boy for his start in life; to his record as Assistant Prosecuting Attorney of Jefferson County when Beaumont and the oil field district were for a time in the clutches of the lawless. Due to the courage and loyalty of the officers of that county and to the help of good citizens, the county was made safe and clean up even though it was for times worse than Mexia ever was.

He challenged anyone to meet him in a discussion as to the right of a Governor to invoke the military, except as provided for in the Constitution. He declared that laws were made for Governors as well as for citizens.

Six years a member of the Texas State Senate, Senator Collins was the author of:

State Wide Statutory Prohibition Law; Fifty Four Hour Female Labor Law, which Senator Burkett helped to carry; Eight Hour Law; Workmen's Compensation Law; Law providing for sanitary inspection of factories employing female labor; Contracting Stevedore Law; Valuable Amendments Child Labor Law; (Co-author) of Primary Woman Sufferage Bill, and was a member of the Senate Finance Committee."

He stated he favored an economical business administration consistent with adequate support of schools and eleemosynary institutions; the impartial enforcement of law in accordance with the constitution; Industrial development which will inure to the benefit of the entire citizenship and needed reforms in the penal system.

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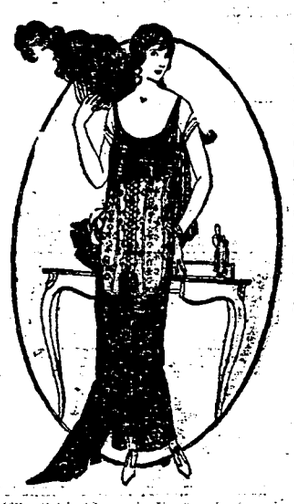

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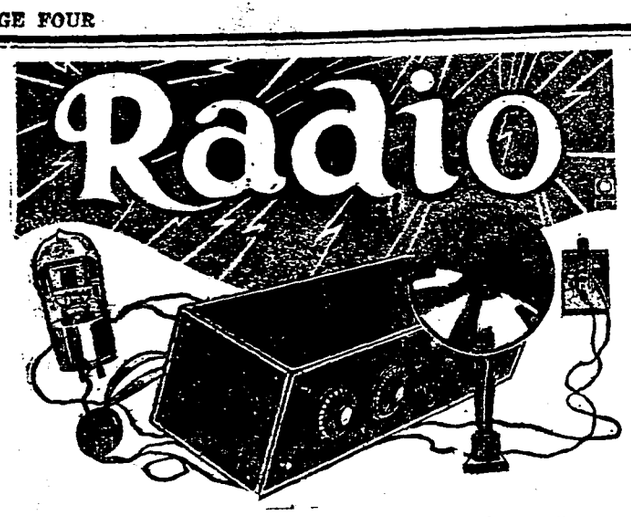

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April 22, 1924

6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

WIP, 6. Uncle Wip's bedtime story.
WBZ, 6, "You and Your Public Utilities."
WDAF, 6 to 7, School of Air.
KDKA, 6:15, Address, A. L. Humphreys.
KYW, 6:25, "Astronomy."
WBZ, 6:40, Piano Solo.
WACE, 6:30 Uncle Kaybee.
KPO, 6:30 to 7:30, Seiger's Orchestra.
WBZ, 6:30, Bedtime story.
WDAR, 6:30, Dream Daddy's story.
WJAX, 6:30, Program by Cleveland News-Leader.
WCAE, 6:45, Theatrical review.
WGY, 6:45, "Mountains and Mountain Scenery."
WDAR, 6:50, Play review.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

WFI, 7, H. Weston Taylor, artist.
WMAQ, 7, Talk on Hawiia.
KYW, 7, Dinner concert.
WHB, 7 to 7:30, Educational program.
KDKA, 7, Feature.
WGY, 7, Singing School.
WFI, 7:15, Banquet, Philadelphia Credit Men's Association.
WIP, 7:15, Philadelphia Police Band
KDKA, 7:15, "The Contemporary Novel—Some Guaranteed Novels."
KPO, 7:30 to 8:30, Children's story
WHAS, 7:30 to 9, Harmony Diggers
WCAE, 7:30, Musical program.
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30, Concert.
KDKA, 7:30, Nevin Trio.
WWJ, 7:30, News Orchestra.

8:00 to 9:00 p. m.

WHB, 8 to 10, Sweeny Orchestra.
KSD, 8, Studio Artists' recital.
KYW, 8, Musical program.
WMAQ, 8, Talk.
WDAP, 8 to 8:30, Barton organ recital.
WMAQ, 8:20, Americanization.
KYW, 8:20, American Farm Bureau
WMC, 8:30, Sastern Star Glee Club.
WFAA, 8:30 to 9:30, Music.
KPO, 8:30 to 9, "Cleveland Six."
KFSG, 8:30 to 9, Children's hour.
WMAQ, 8:40, La Salle Orchestra.
KFI, 8:45 to 9:30, Instrumental concert.
KHJ, 8:45 to 9:30, Children's period
KYW, 8:50, Musical program.

9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

WCX, 9, Red Apple Club.
KPO, 9 to 9:30, Seiger's Orchestra.
WMAQ, 9:10, Lecture.
WFI, 9:10, Kerr's Orchestra.
WIP, 9:15, Weems' Orchestra.
WJAX, 9:30, Dance program.
WMAQ, 9:30, Lyon-Healy program.
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45, Fort Worth Harmony Club.
KGW, 9:45, Talk for farmers.

10:00 to 11:00 p. m.

WLW, 10, Concert.
KHJ, 10 to 12, Program by Paul G. Hoffman Co.
KFI, 10 to 11, Concert.
WDAR, 10, Chapman's Orchestra.
KPO, 10 to 12, Orcheus Club.
KFSG, 10 to 10:25, "The Relation of the Church to the Law."
KGO, 10, Paradise Hawaiian Trio.
KFSG, 10:25 to 11:15, Sermon.
KDKA, 10:30, Queen City Orchestra
WSB, 10:45, Rainbow Orchestra.

11:00 to 12:00

KFI, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.
WFAA, 11 to 12, Musical recital.
WMC, 11, Midnight frolic.
KFSG, 11:15 to 12, Sacred concert.
WLW, 11:30, Masked Serenaders.
WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.
Wichita Falls, 8, Dallas 6.
Houston 8, Galveston 7.
Fort Worth 19, Shreveport 2.
San Antonio 5, Beaumont 3.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
San Antonio	6	6	0	.1000
Wichita Falls	6	5	1	.833
Dallas	6	5	2	.667
Houston	5	3	2	.600
Fort Worth	6	3	3	.500
Beaumont	5	1	4	.200
Galveston	6	1	5	.167
Shreveport	6	0	6	.000

Where They Play Today.
Wichita Falls at Dallas.
Galveston at Houston.
San Antonio at Beaumont.
Shreveport at Fort Worth.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.
Cleveland-Chicago, rain.
St. Louis-Detroit, rain.
Philadelphia 4, Boston 0.
New York 4, Washington 2.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	5	4	1	.800
Detroit	5	4	1	.800
Boston	5	3	2	.600
Philadelphia	5	3	2	.600
Washington	6	3	3	.500
New York	6	2	4	.333
Cleveland	4	1	3	.250
St. Louis	6	1	5	.167

Where They Play Today.
St. Louis at Detroit.
Cleveland at Chicago.
New York at Washington.
Philadelphia at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.
New York 2, Boston 1.
Booklyn 7, Philadelphia 4 (10 innings.)
Cincinnati 2, Chicago 1 (10 innings)
St. Louis 11, Pittsburgh 9.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P.	W	L	Pct.
New York	6	5	1	.833
Cincinnati	6	4	2	.667
Chicago	7	4	3	.571
Brooklyn	6	3	3	.500
St. Louis	7	3	4	.429
Pittsburgh	6	2	4	.333
Boston	4	1	3	.250
Philadelphia	4	1	3	.250

Where They Play Today.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincannati.
Boston at New York.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.
Mobile 7, Birmingham 1.
New Orleans 5, Atlanta 3.
Memphis 9, Nashville 0.
Little Rock 6, Chattanooga 0.

Where They Play Today.
Little Rock at Chattanooga.
Memphis at Nashville.
Mobile at Birmingham.
New Orleans at Atlanta.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Delphian Chapter meets.
Prayer meeting at all local churches.
Masons meet at Masonic Hall in the evening.
T. A. Baseball League opens at Gusher Park.

Thursday

Rotary Club luncheon at Majestic cafe.
Camp Fire Girls meet.
Regular meeting Knights of Pythias at K. P. Hall.

Friday

Friday Club meets.
Lions Club luncheon at Majestic Cafe.
All Boy Scout troops meet.
Rebeccas meet at K. P. Hall in the evening.

Saturday

Junior Dramatic Club meets at Library in the morning.

TICKETS ON SALE FOR OPENING GAME

Tickets for the opening game of the Texas Association, when Mexia meets Corsicana Wednesday, are on sale at the following places: Mexia Drug Company, Bennett's Drug Store, Anderson & Horn, Chocolate Shoppe, Reseland, Oasis Post Office Drug Store, City Drug Store and C. and F.

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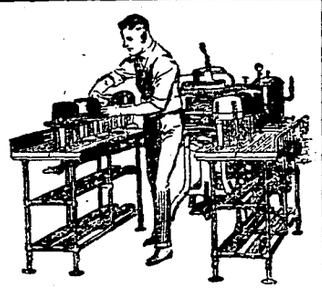

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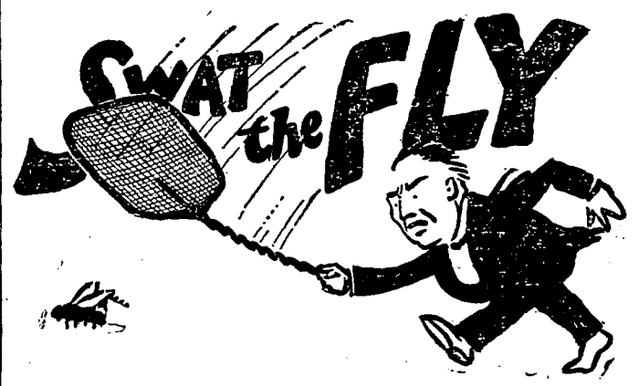

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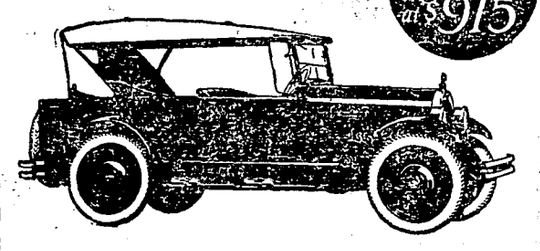

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3:30 p. m., Prompt

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This page is contributed by the following men:

Jack Womack	Jesse McLendon	Wallace Welch
Ben Smith	J. K. Hughes	Hardie Eubanks
Ike Keys		Duke Pittman

We Must Win That Cup!!!

Danger To Cut Municipal Pay

RANGER, Texas, April 22.—Ranger has abolished both its municipal judge and attorney as a policy or retrenchment.

Mayor R. H. Hodges, and other members of the commission, agreed to let the mayor serve all three offices, eliminating $150 in salaries formerly paid the judge and attorney.

"I don't relish my new job," Mayor Hodges said. "However it is a matter of economy, and I'll be glad to serve for that reason."

EDITOR PAYS TRIBUTE TO DAUGHTER ON HER MARRIAGE

John H. Cook, editor of the Rockdale (Colo.) Reporter, paid a very beautiful tribute to his daughter on the occasion of her marriage a few days ago. Here's what he said in his paper:

"Time flies! And never has the editor more seriously realized the truth of the trite statement than as he pens these lines. For we have this day given in marriage our first born. The beautiful daughter sent by a gracious Heavenly Father to bless our home with her loveliness of disposition; to share with us the favors of a merciful God; to help us mother the younger members of the household; yea, even to step into the editorial harness itself in time of stress and need; and withal, to make us humbly thankful to the great Comforter above that there is in reality balm in Gilead; that dear daughter has now gone out from the home roof to make happy the home of her hsuband, even as she has blessed and made happy the home of her dad.

"We hope our readers will pardon this intrusion of personal feeling in this column. We feel impelled to pen these lines, deeming it a duty as well as a privilege to pay this just tribute to one of the noblest daughters with whom man was ever blessed. Flowers for the living! We would therefore lay this one rose tenderly on the altar of our mutual love.

"And it is not in sadness that we write, but rather in a spirit of sharing the new found joy that is hers. Time flies. The home is empty only that another may be builded. Yesterday is gone; today is fleeting; tomorrow is yet to be fathomed. The great scheme of life as laid down by an Allwise Power must be served.

"And so we say to the dear one: Bon voyage, my dear. You have been a dutiful daughter, a loving, sympathetic, unselfish, self-sacrificing daughter. And as you have made the home of your dear old dad, so will it now be your duty and your pleasure to make happy the home of the man you have chosen for a life companion. Bon voyage, my dear, and God bless the new home you are to grace."

LIFE'S PEACEFUL ENDING

We read a few days ago where Mrs. Elsie Jackson, who a month or so ago had celebrated her 101st birthday had died. It is stated that in the morning of the day of her death she had gone about doing her household work as had been her custom for so many years. Then she complained of being tired and lay down to take a nap and quietly entered the rest that knows no awakening until Christ shall appear in the clouds and the trumpet is sounded. When they went to call her they found she was dead.

Sometimes men talk about dying in the harness, but few of them do so as gracefully as did this good old tired mother. She made no fuss about it. She simply said she was tired and wanted to rest. No need to send for the doctor. She had been tired many times before in her life but sleep had always refreshed her. She would repeat the old-time experiment once more. But while she slept her spirit took its flight. She had reached the end of a long trail without knowing it. Perhaps it is better to go that way. After a life of labor and love for others, this good old sould passed over as easily as she had been wont to fall into natural sleep.

Perhaps most if not all of those who live to ripe old age would prefer to go that way. It seems so easy to make the great transition by just lying down while still in comparative health and gliding out into eternity unconcernedly.—Grandview Tribune.

LIONS CHALLENGE ROTARIANS TO GAME OF BASEBALL

The Lions Baseball club has challenged the Rotary club for a baseball game. The only condition imposed by the challengers is that the Rotarians practice thirty days before the game. The challenge was sent by Jere Cason, secretary of the Lions club to Ben Stollenwerck, secretary of the Rotarians.

DALLAS.—Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kronsberg filed suit for $18,250 damages from their landlady and a bed manufacturer for alleged injuries received when their bed collapsed and they fell out.

CONTRAST IN PRICES

In 1539 a printed copy of the Bible was sold for a sum, the twentieth century equivalents of which would be forty-five and thirty-seven dollars respectively, for bound or unbound copies. According to an old record in 1541, the price had fallen to twenty-three dollars.

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SAVSE DE GRACE, Md.—Exterminator, the 9-year-old Kilmer Gelding, increased his total earnings to $251,496 when he won the $2,000 Edgewood purse at a mile and seventy yards. He is still $40,000 away from the record of Zev and Ising Glass.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Higgs, and daughter, Miss Neveille Higgs, of Bryan, were visitors to Mexia Friday.

Always Looking for Spooks And Things

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 22.—When Mrs. Ayar Zagoita saw a black suspicious looking box under her store in the suburbs here, she called for the police.

A large crowd gathered at the store as the officers prepared to open the box, the spectators scattering fearing for the worst.

The mysterious looking box proved only to be an empty salesman's sample case thrown under the store probably by some thief after taking its contents.

DALLAS.—Plans have been made by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company to build a warehouse and garage here. The warehouse will be of two stories 100 by 150 foot and the garage will have 8,000 square feet of floor space.

C. J. Harris of the Frick Reid Supply Company and George Bell were Marlin visitors Thursday.

Quite a number of Mexiaites are in Groesbeck today to hear the address delivered this afternoon by Governor Pat M. Neff.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Jones and family were the guests of Mrs. Louise Cole, of Groesbeck last Sunday.

Don't fail to see the Average Man.

Mrs. Lila Peyton returned Wednesday night from Fort Worth where she was the guest of Mrs. E. H. Richardson. Mrs. Peyton attended the ceremonies of the laying of the cornerstone of the Eastern Star home, which is being erected at Fort Worth, while on her visit there.

CONSTABLE SALE

The State of Texas
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of 77th Judicial District, Limestone County, on the 9th day of April, 1924, by Johnson Wakefield, Clerk of said Court, for sum of One Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Five and 51-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgement, in favor of Will Rogers, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3651-A, and styled Will Rogers vs J. M. Allen et al, placed in my hands for service, I, J. P. Felz, Constable of Precinct No. 4, Limestone County, Texas, did, on the 10th day of April, 1924, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Limestone County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of lots Nos. 1 and 2 in division B, of Section 24 of Kauhl's Sunrise Addition to the town of Mexia, according to the map of said addition recorded in Vol. 109, page 140 of the deed records of Limestone County, Texas, and all improvements thereon, and levied upon as the proyerty of O. L. Lusk, and that on the first Tuesday in May, 1924, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Limestone County, in the town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said Execution, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said O. L. Lusk.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 10th day of April, 1924.

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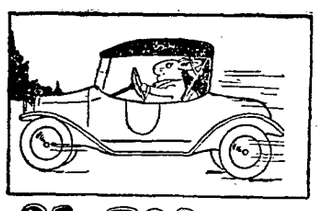

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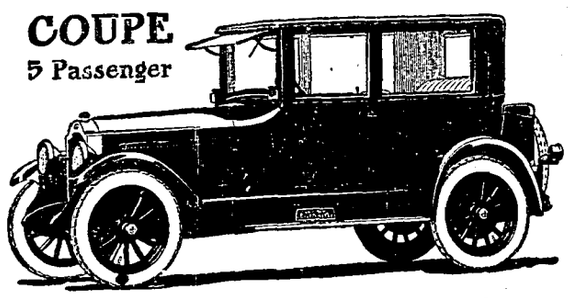

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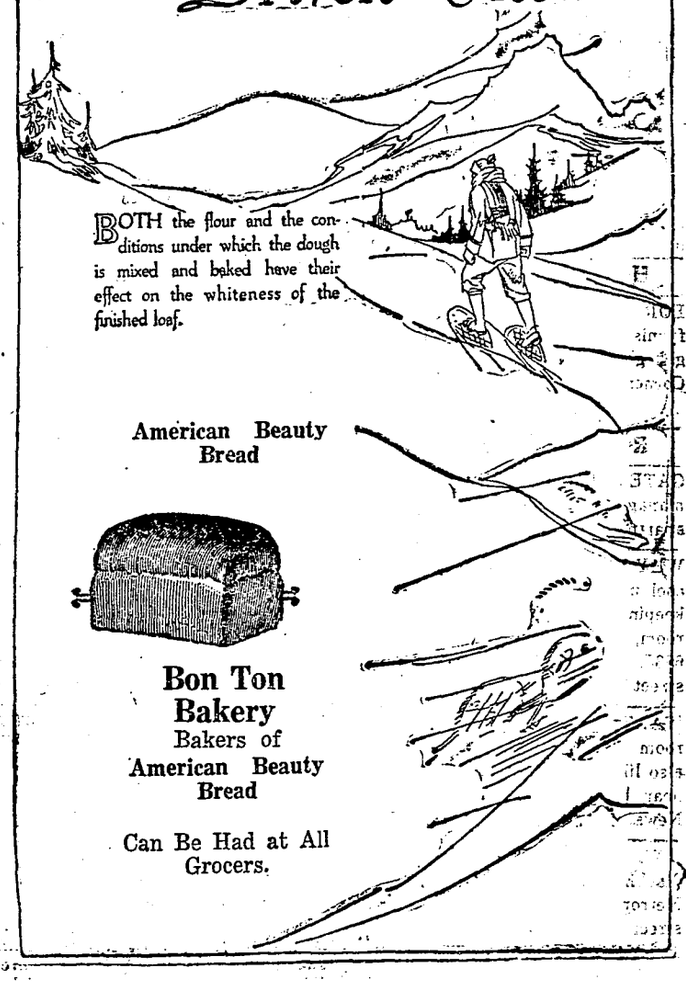

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REAL SILK HOSIERY—The economical way of buying silk hose. Mrs. J. D. Burchim, representative. Phone 398, address 223 East Milam street. 20J7

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Nice home at Reunion Grounds; pike road, 20 minutes drive to town. O. Lewis, Mexia, Texas. 21J3

FOR SALE—Good second hand car for sale or trade on terms. O. Lewis, Mexia, Texas. 21J3

FOR SALE—Ford roadster at bargain. Call B. W. Ehrlich, 211 North Mcinney. Phone 776. 21J4

FOR SALE—On small monthly payments. Close in on paved street, no paving tax, two places; one 5-room and one 2-room; on good lots. Might consider car. Call at 410 E. Hopkins. 20J4

HOUSES FOR RENT—K

FOR RENT—Two story garage unfurnished, three rooms, bath and garage, on paved street. Phone 530. Corner Kaufman and Bowie streets. 20K4

ROOMS FURNISHED—L

GATES APARTMENTS—Under new management. two and three room apartments for rent. Phone 633. 7L30

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WANT TO RENT—One unfurnished room for light housekeeping. Would also like to have garage with room or near by if possible. Box H, Care News. 21L2

W. J. Miles, the Singer Sewing Machine man, has taken over the Metropolitan Hotel on 508 East Milam street and will give board and room for $8 and $8.50 per week. Phone 632-L. 20-3

FOR RENT—Good five-room house, 524 North Red River street; gas, lights water and sewerage. See W. D. Hight, phone 422or 228. 22L3

Will dip cattle at following places: Reunion grounds, Monday Rooson vat Tuesday, Springfield Wednesday, Carter vat Thursday, Estes vat Friday, Forest Glade vat Saturday. O. Lewis. 21-3

NOTICE

This section of the county is free from quarantine and it is not compulsory that you dip your cattle. But in order to prevent any return of ticks and to clean your cattle of lice you should dip them. I have made arrangements thru the Commissioners Court to dip your cattle without cost to you, during March April and May. I will dip on the following dates, weather permitting: Reunion Ground vat, April 7th; Rosson, April 8th; Springfield, April 9th; Trotter, April 10th; L. C. Estes vat, April 11th. Other dates will be anonunced late. Notify your neighbors and make arrangements to dip on above dates. For further information, see O. LEWIS, Mexia, Texas. tf

HILLSBORO, Texas.—W. S. Miles, employe in the Waco Cotton Mills, was charged with murder here today in connection with the shooting to death of Ben Freeman. Freeman, who was employed in the Hillsboro Cotton Mills, was shot down when he passed Niles on the street in his automobile. Several persons witnessed the shooting.

GILMER, Texas.—W. W. Hyde, prominent local physician, was charged with murder today following the shooting to death of Dick Adkinson. Adkinson was shot in the breast with a shotgun while riding in his farm wagon at Big Sandy, near here.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Celia Cooney, for whom a nationwide search has been under way as New York's bobbed hair bandit, has been captured at Jacksonville, Fla., according to advices to the police here. She was captured with her husband Edward Cooney, it was said.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—President Coolidge today held lengthy conferences with Secretary of State Hughes and Senator Lodge, republican Senate leader, giving rise to the belief that there are developmnts in the impending Japanese immigration question. Though all parties are uncommunicative, it is learned that the Japanese question was discussed.

The Average Man Friday, April 25.

Sage Tea Turns Gray Hair Dark

That beautiful, even shade of dark, glossy hair can only be had by brewing a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray or streaked, just an application or two of Sage and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundredfold.

Don't bother to prepare the mixture; you can get this famous old recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients at a small cost, all ready for use. It is called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound. This can always be depended upon to bring back the natural color and lustre of your hair.

Everybody uses "Wyeth's" Sage andn Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that no body can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair has disappeared, and after another application it becomes beautifully dark and appears glossy and lustrous.—(Adv.)

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is a prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fever, Dengue or Bilious Fever. It kills the germs. (Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wofford, of Coolidge, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wofford Sunday afternoon.

Once more the world's largest circus is announcing that it is "Bigger and Better Than Ever." And, if you are not too old, it will be.

Try he new studio this time. 1-30t

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon John H. Brown and M. J. Kallet by manking publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Groesbeck, Texas, on the First Monday in May, A. D., 1924, the same being the 5th day of May, A. D., 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 11th day of April, A. D., 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court as No. 4450-B, wherein Bradford Supply Company, a corporation is plaintiff, and John H. Brown and M. J. Kallett are defendants, and said petition alleging:

That plaintiff at the instance and request of defendants on or about July 18, 1922 and covering a period through December, 1922, sold and delivered to them various goods, machinery and oil well supplies, amounting to the sum of $1818.09, in consideration of which defendants promised to pay plaintiff upon demand said amount, all of which is fully shown by an itemized statement of the dates goods and amounts charged therefor attached to plaintiff's petition; that said material was used by defendants in the development and improvement of an oil and gas lease; that on March 26, 1923, plaintiff fixed a materialman's lien as required by law covering all the lease, leasehold estate, oil and gas rights in and under the following land: Being a part of the land owned by W. D. Freeman, H. W. Freeman and H. C. Freeman and described in a deed record in Vol. 105, page 434, deed records of Limestone County, Texas. Beginning in the southeast line of said tract, north 52½ east, 437.7 vrs. from the southwest corner of the tract which is the southwest corner of a twenty acre tract heretofore leased to Joseph Danciger; Thence North 35½ west with Danciger's northeast line, 356.7 vrs.; Thence north 52½ east 158.2 vrs. to the southwest line of a 40 acre tract heretofore leased to R. L. Sprinkle; Thence south 35½ east with Sprinkle's Southwest line, 356.7 vrs. to the southeast line of Freeman's tract which is R. L. Sprinkle's southwest corner; Thence south 52½ west 158.2 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres. That said lien was filed on said lease hold estate for oil and gas rights, said lease hold estate being known as the Wofford & Jackson lease, which was operated by Ben Wofford and M. M. Jackson under the firm name of Wofford & Jackson, as agents of these Defendants and the remaining joint owners. That said account is past due and unpaid and defendants have failed and refused to pay same or any part thereof except the sum of $500.00 to plaintiff's damage in the sum of $1319.09.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendants be cited to appear and answer herein, and that it have judgement foreclosing its Materialman's lien to satisfy said indebtedness of $1318.09, together with costs of suit and such other relief as it may be justly entitled.

Herein fail not, and have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Groesbeck, Texas, this the 11th day of April, A. D., 1924.

(Seal)

JOHNSON WAKEFIELD,
Clerk, District Court,
Limestone, County.
By RUBY LAWLEY, Deputy.
April 11-18-25 May 2.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas,
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable 87th District Court of Limestone County, of the 21st day of March, 1924, by The District Clerk, of said Limestone County, Texas, for the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Seventy Five & 73-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under an Execution in favor of Farrar Lumber Company, Inc., in a certain cause in said Court, No. 4216-B and styled Farrar Lumber Company, Inc. vs O. L. Lusk, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy, as Sheriff of Limestone County, Texas, did, on the 9th, day of April, 1924, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Limestone County, Texas, described as follows, to wit:

Being all of Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Division B. of Section 24 Kauhl's Sunrise addition to the town of Mexia Texas, according to the map of said addition, recorded in Vol. 109, page 140 of the deed records of Limestone County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of O. L. Lusk, and that on the first Tuesday in May, 1924, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Limestone County, in the town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Execution, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public venduc, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said O. L. Lusk.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 10th, day of April, 1924.

WHIT POPEJOY,
Sheriff Limestone
County, Texas.
By N. P. HARRIS, Deputy.
April 11-18-25

CRUDE OIL PRICES

Midcontinent.

Below 30 gravity	$1.25
30 to 32.9 gravity	1.45
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.75
36 to 38.9 gravity	2.00
39 gravity and above	2.25

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Below 28 grivity	$1.00
28 to 30.9 gravity	1.20
31 to 32.9 gravity	1.45
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.75
36 to 38.9 gravity	2.00
39 gravity and above	2.25

North Central Texas.

Corsicana light	$2.00
Corsicana heavy	1.00
Thrall	1.00
Mexia	2.00
Currie	2.25
Rockdale-Minerva	1.60

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Below 33 gravity	$1.15
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.40
36 to 38.9 gravity	1.60
39 gravity and above	1.75

Gulf Coast.

Grade A	$1.65
Grade B at Blue Ridge, Hull and Pierce Junction	1.40

Louisiana-Arkansas.

Caddo.

38 gravity and above	$1.70
35 to 37.9 gravity	1.60
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.50
Below 32 gravity	1.35

East Texas.

Nacogdoches shallow oil	$2.15

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Homer.

35 gravity and above	$1.70
33 to 34.9 gravity	1.60
31 to 32.9 gravity	1.50
Below 31 gravity	1.35
33 gravity and above	1.60
Below 33 gravity	1.50

Bull Bayou.

38 gravity and above	$1.65
35 to 37.9 gravity	1.50
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.35
De Soto crude	1.70
Crichton	1.50
Bellevue	1.55
Jennings	1.65
Vinton	1.65
Edgerly crude	1.65
26 gravity and above	1.35
25 to 25.9 gravity	1.20
24 to 24.9 gravity	1.10

Smackover.

Below 24 gravity	1.00

El Dorado.

33 gravity and above	$1.70
Below 33 gravity	1.60
El Dorado east field (Calion)	1.00

Stephens District.

(Atlantic.)

Posted by Atlantic Oil Company:

28 gravity and above 60 degrees	$1.40
26 to 27.9 gravity at 60 degrees	1.35
23 to 25.9 gravity at 60 degrees	1.20
Below 23 gravity at 60 degrees	1.00

Eastern States.

New York Transit	$4.50
Bradford, Pa.	4.50
Other Pennsylvania grades	4.00
Cable	2.05
Ragland	1.00
Coring	1.95
Somerset, heavy	2.15
Somerset, light	2.15

CANDIDATES

Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS
For District Clerk—
ELLIS DICKERSON.
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.
For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election.)
For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS. (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
VIRGIL D. WOOD
For Constable, Precinct No. 4—
JOE P. FELZ

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North bound—
645 From cut-off ..... 1:47 p. m.
15 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:44 p. m.
31 Dallas Ft. Worth .....12:50 p. m.
37 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 5:14 a. m.
17 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 4:35 a. m.
19 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:55 a. m.
South bound—
346 To cut-off ..... 7:00 a. m.
16 Houston San Antonio....11:45 a. m.
32 From Dallas .....10:08 a. m.
38 Austin San nAtonio ....12:21 a. m.
18 Houston San Antonio .. 1:37 a. m.
26 Houston San Antonio ..12:16 a. m.

T. & B. V.
North.
No. 8—3:25 p. m.
South.
No. 7—12:55 p. m.

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Mexia Expected To Win Cup For Biggest Crowds

Only one more day until they are off! Tomorrow at 3:30 the race for the Texas Association of Baseball Clubs will have definitely begun with the Gushers and the Oilers opposing each other in their best battle formation to capture the season's first honors. The outcome of the initial contest is a subject of some discussion but the odds are with the home boys apparently, both in that they will play at home and in that they have the advantage of a much longer period of training. The Gushers last jaunt into foreign territory resulted in two victories against one for their opponents while the Corsicana Club met disaster on a like trip, if this can be taken as holding out any proof of superiority.

The ticket selling campaign which the club here is waging is progressing with fairly good success. The Boy Scouts and their Scoutmasters are doing the work, each troop working as a unit. Prizes have been offered the troops selling the largest number of tickets, the first prize being ten dollars in cash, second five dollars and third two and one half dollars.

The first impression is often what counts the most. A flying start is what counts most in a race. That's what Mexia needs to give its club if it expects the club to bring home the pennant when the smoke has all cleared away at the end of the season and the winner is determined. And after the start a continuous and steady support will do the stuff. Mexia has as good a chance as any city in the league to win the silver loving cup and Mexia ought to win it. Let's start the season right with every fan in this part of fandom warming a seat in the big grandstand when the umps yells "Play Ball!" on the big day.

Fowlkes has had his men out at the park putting them through their final paces in preparation for the big day, and forming his final opinions as to the lineup with which he intends to hand the Oilers the little end of the score in the first game. And the second also.

Elks Band To Lead Parade before Game

By HECK

The old whangdoodle breaks loose at the ball yard tomorrow, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 when the Gushers tangle with the Oilers from Corsicana in the opening round of the Texas Association Baseball season and take it from me brother we are going to bust everything wide open when we start.

There will be a parade, at least I suppose there will be as no baseball season is properly ushered in without the parade, and said parade will be headed by the Elks' Band all decked out in their purple and white uniforms and headed by director Frank Werner, otherwise known as Luke McGluke the Trinity Bear Cat. I don't know who else will be in the parade if they do parade but I know plenty of fans who will parade if they do parade.

I don't even know who will umpire the combat but I hope it will be either Roy Akin, Jack O'Hearne or Jess Price, as they are all the umpires the league has and let me tell you right now they are all good ones—now don't argue with me and say "there aint no sich thing as a good umpire," for I know all three of them and they are dingers. You fans know Roy Akin and Jack O'Hearne and know that they are good and I'll stake my farm on Jess Price for he and I have been good friends for the past 'steen years and I know him to be a good umps and also I can vouch for the fact that Price is the best story teller you ever heard—get him started and find out.

I don't know who will pitch for the Gushers Wednesday and I doubt if Manager Fowlkes knows but I have a hunch that it will be Sanders with Carl Hill and Ludwick in the bull pen. I have a hunch that Arjuijo (ouija board) or Joe Cantrell will handle the artillery for the Oilers with Johnny Vann catching.

Corsicana has a strong club and must be counted in on the race for the rag and they are in better shape than the Gushers are now and I believe they carry a better punch. Anyhow it will be a good game and as there is a prize for the city that has the largest paid attendance at the opening game I hope to see great flocks and multitudes of fans jammed in Nowlin park Wednesday afternoon. Now lets all make it a point to be at the ball yard and get that cup. Boy, ain't it a grand and glorious feeling when the umps dusts off the pan at the opening game and turns to the stand and yells—"L—A—D—I—E—S and G—E—N—T—L—E—M—E—N, Battrizz fer t'days game, for Corsicana, 'Ouijoboard' and Vann; for the home club, Sanders and Fowlkes—PLAY BALL!"

Hodziggidy!

KANSAS CITY, Mo—T. B. Brough Muncie, Ind., was locked up as a public menace after an auto which he was driving collided with five different cars in fifteen minutes.

DALLAS, Texas.—Schools and business offices were closed in Dallas today in commemoration of San Jacinto day. Special programs were held in celebration of the holiday.

SHERMAN, Texas.—G. E. Chapman formerly principal at Layne school, near Denison, stood acquitted by a jury here today of statutory charges. The former principal was charged with criminal assault upon one of his pupils.

GAINESVILLE, Texas.—Funeral services were to be held here Monday afternoon for Mrs. Thomas R. Hickman, wife of the ranger captain. Mrs. Hickman accidentally shot and killed herself Friday at Fort McKavett while handling a rifle.

A Senate committee and a New York court subpenaed Gaston Means to appear before them on the same day. Why doesn't Gaston syndicate his stuff?

An oil company removing a couple of thousand billboards along Western highways doubtless feels the business is now getting its publicity for nothing.

Sportlights

By BAB

Those who condemn the Gushers for the showing they made Sunday afternoon against the Bathers are possibly those who are not entirely acquainted with all the facts in the case. It is not the purpose of his column to make excuses but to state facts. The Gushers had just returned from a long trip playing every afternoon, and being up since before 3 o'clock on the morning before the Bather game. Rest is necessary to good playing just as it is necessary to good work. A team that loses sleep loses games. This is not to say that the game Sunday would have or should have gone to the Gushers but it does mean to say that the home club met the Bathers under heavy handicap, worn out with their Tyler trip. Give the home boys credit, and look out for that surprise Wednesday afternoon at Gusher park shortly after 3:30 p. m.

Jefferies, left hander for the Westminster Wildcats who pitched part of the game for the Gushers against the Marlin Bathers Sunday afternoon, showed mighty good form against the Marlin club when he allowed them only three hits during the last four innings, which he pitched. Only one score was run in for the Bathers during the time he was in the box and that on a Gusher error.

A large number of ladies were present Monday afternoon at the First Methodist Church to attend the special program given by the Missionary Society, presenting the Belle H. Bennett Memorial. A very helpful and inspiring program was rendered, bringing before us the needs of our great Scarritt Bible Training School. After which a social hour followed, delicious fruit punch and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Dean, of Huntsville, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Hodges last week end, returning to their home Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Dean's son and daughter accompanied them here.

Theodore Klug, Jr., and Doctor Box left Monday for Eagle Lake and Luling where they will spend several days in looking over the oil interests of Mr. Klug. Mr. Klug is one of a company of six men who are putting down a test near Eagle Lae.

Mrs. Edna Goode Fike of Groesbeck, candidate for county treasurer, was in Mexia Tuesday circulating among the voters.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones, of Groesbeck, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Jones here Sunday. Mrs. Ollie Jones sister, Mrs. J. W. Cole, of Groesbeck also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jones here Sunday.

Major N. P. Houx was a Marlin and Groesbeck visitor today.

Tom Daugherty was a Groesbeck visitor Monday morning.

J. N. Medlock of Coleman, was a Mexia visitor Sunday.

J. W. Devenport, of Terrell was here Sunday.

C. B. Jones, of Marlin, was among the visitors to the city Sunday.

W. L. Mendenhall was here Sunday from Wichita Falls.

W. B. Buchanan was here from Corsicana Monday.

W. C. Lowe, of Greenville, was here Sunday.

Starting Monday, April 28th we the undersigned merchants do hereby agree to close our places of business at 7:00 p. m. daily except Saturdays:

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TEXAS ASSOCIATION
Wednesday, April 23rd, 3:30 p. m.

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—VS—
CORSICANA OILERS

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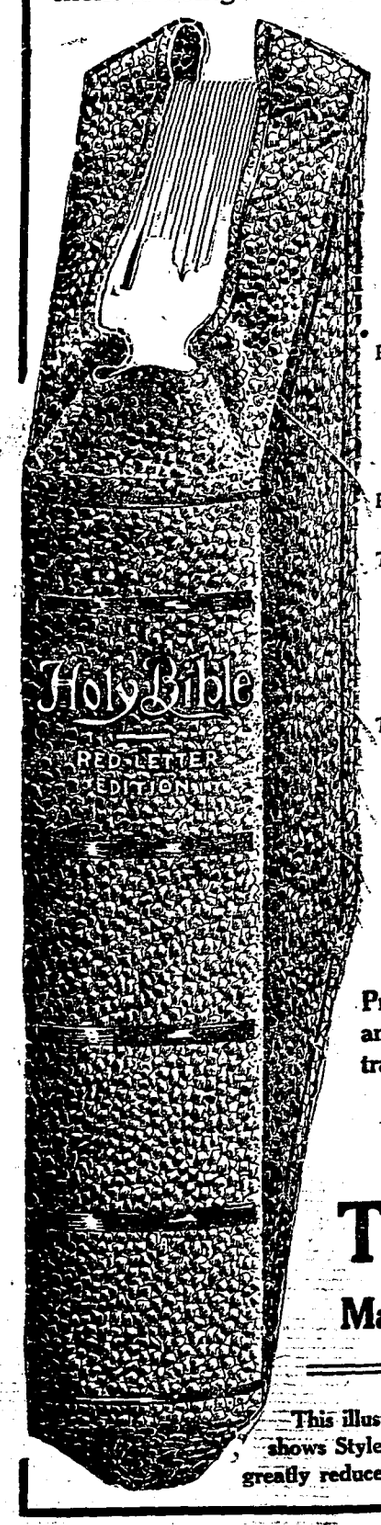

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Prayer is the highest act of man. In it he is nearest to his Creator and the farthest from his sometime brother—the brute. All women and most men pray—whether they admit it or not. Prayer is the soul's answer to the question, "If a man die, shall he live again?" It came direct from Heaven, and did not unfold itself along with the convolutions of the brain.

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I'm not at all bothered though damp be the day,
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